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	20th, General.—Messageries I Times. Nov. 25, Insulaire, Fren. bk., 394, Fie	
·	Saigon 31st October, 10,000 piculs and 200 bales Cotton.—F. DEGEN	Rica
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•	P. & O. S. N. Co. Nov. 25, H.S.M's str. Patino, 1,200, Ala	rcon.
	Manila 18th November, Ballast: Consul.	
•	Nov. 25, Sunroo, Brit. str., 915, G. L. tle, Saigon 17th November, Rica General — Aug. Heard & Co.	and
	Nov. 25, Pacific, Amer. bk., 322, 1 merson, Callao 21st September, Ba	Hem- Ilast
· : •;	—Carlowitz & Co. Nov. 25, Gazelle, North German brig	190
	Green, Whampoa 24th Movember, Inst.—BOURJAU, HUBENER & Co.	,
	Nov. 25, Slyphide, Brit. bk., 295, Gard Keelung 22nd November, Coals— Hold, Karbere & Co.	
•	Nov. 26, Minerva, North German bk., - Loose, Newchwang 12th Novel	260.
	5,700 piculs Beans.—Boursau, F	COBE
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	November, 4,500 piculs Beans, General.—Bourlau, Hubener &	and Co.
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Auction Sale To-day.

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str., 1,684, Ri-[TONGKONG & SHANGHAL BANKING CORFORATION. SUBSCRIBED CAPITAL-5,000,000 of Dollare. 28th, Galle 8th 15th, and Saigon.

Court of Directors:-Chairman-Hoy. R. Rowerr. Deputy Chairman-T. PYKE, Esq. bk., 894, Fleuriot, R. R. Belilios, Enq. Julius Menke, Esq. 10,000 piculs Rice, A. Jonet, Esq. J. D. Bancoon, Baq. Wm. Lemann, Esq. H. Melchers, Haq. G. F. Weller, Eig.

Managers; Hongkong-James Greig, Esq., Chief Manager. Shanghai-David McLean, Esq. London Bankers-London and County Bank.

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For 3 months 2 per cent. per annum.

LOCAL BILLS DISCOUNTED. Credits-granted on approved Securities, and every description of Banking and Exchange ousiness transacted. Drafts-granted on London, and the chief

commercial places in Europe, India, Australia, German lk., 260. America, China and Japan. JAMES GREIG, Chief Manager, 12th November. BOURJAU, HUBE. Offices of the Corporation. No. 1, Queen's Road East. tf 1062] Hongkong, 9th September, 1871.

, 262, Voigt, from CERMAN BANK OF TONDON s North German (Limited).

DIRECTORS. GEORGE ALBRECHT Bremen. EDWARD HENRY GREEN, London. ier. bk., 840, E. CARL KLOTZ, Frankfort on the Main. 15th November, VICTOR FREIHERE VON MAGNUS, Berlin -WM. Pustau & Julius May, Frankfort-op-the-Main. ADOLPH VOM RATH, Cologne. CHARLES FERDINAND RODEWALD, London. FREDERICK RODEWALD, London.

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Assistant Manager-Leoroup Bonn. Auditor-George Thomas Brooking. Bankers-THE LONDON JOINT STOCK BANK LONDON.

The Capital of the German Bank of London Limited, is £2,000,000, divided into 200,000Shares of £10 each: of which 60,000 Shares. representing a capital of £60 ,000, bave been issued, subscribed for, and allotted, and are intended to be fully paid up within six months... The Bank is established in London, and has

no branches on the Continent or abroad. It is now prepared to open business, to negotiate approved securities, and generally to attend to transactions appertaining to Foreign banking Bartholomew House, Bartholomew-lane, London, E.C., April, 1871 6m 1070 June 2s

THE HONGKONG FIRE INSURANCE COMPANY, LIMITED.

OHINESE RISKS. igcap N and after the l5th instant, the minimum rate for the insurance against Fire of Chinese Premises in this Colony will be reduced to Two per cent, per, annum. 🦯

REDUCTION IN RATES ON

JARDINE, MATHESON & Co., General Managers, Hongkong Fire Insurance Co., Limited. tf 1997 Hongkong, 14th November, 1870. CONSULAT DE FRANCE A HONGKONG

DES Soumissions cuchetées pour la Fourni-ture de la FARINE DE FROMENT à effectuer à Saigon, pendant l'année 1872-73, pour le service des Subsistances de la Marine. seront reques an Consulat de France jusqu' au 15 Décembre 1871 à 4 P.M. Il sera donné communication du cabier des charges relatif l'adjudication en la Chancellerie tous les jours de 1 à 2 heures. - Le Gérant du Consulat,

CHS. L. DE LA FOREST. Hongkong, 28th September, 1871. FRENCH CONSULATE, HONGKONG,

tions on which the adjudication will be based. Corporation. will be communicated at the Chancellor's Office, from 1 to 2 P.M. every day.

CH. L. DE LA FOREST. Acting French Consul. 1662 Hongkong, 28th September, 1871. LIOR SALE, by private contract, the Three first-class GODOWNS situate on Inland lot No. 73, opposite the premises formerly cocupied by Messrs. FLETCHES & Co.

For particulari, do., apply to furner & Co. tf 534 Hongkong, 29th March, 1871. DECEIVED by the French Mail Tigre :-LU-French BOOTS, Gentlemen's SOCKS.

Men's COLLARS. Black and Colored SCARVES and NECK-TIES. A Great assortment of French GOODS. by every Fronch Mail, at

A. R. MARTY.

Successor of M. VIBE & Co. 1m 1982 Hongkong, 16th November, 1871. E. R. HANDLEY, TYOUSE AND SHIP PLUMBER, COPPER SMITH.

BRASS FOUNDER AND GAS FITTER. (LATE PATERSON & HANDLEY), 70 F, Praya West.

Next to the P. & O. Coul Stores, tf 16811 HONGKONG. (Sept. 15 NOTICE.

ing to DENT & Co., and situate on the western auburbs of Canton, in the Rear of the Shameen site, behind the Cham Mo Lan, and at the entrance of the Sal Lan Lane, in front of Tai Ping Tong, have, through Messrs. CALD. WELL & BRERETON, Hongkong, solicitors, been absolutely assigned to the Yow Wo Toxa. The bargain money was paid on the 18th day of November, and a proper deed of assignment will be shortly excented by Dent's Trustees. The under lease formerly held by GREE CHONG On has been cancelled, and the Yow Wo Tong are the sole possessors of the property. YOW WO, TONG. 2m 2015 Hongkong, 20th November, 1871.

TEN DOLLARS REWARD. MUESDAY EVENING, between the Club and the Hotel, four Chabb's KEYS on a gold split ring. The finder bringing same to the Manager at the Hongkong Hotel will receive Ten Dollars reward.

tf 1843 Hongkong, 27th October, 1871. FOR SALE. BROUGHAM, by Booker, with a moveable driving Seat, and HARNESS, Silver Mounted, nearly new. LANE, OBAWFORD & Co. tf 1983 Hongkong, 16th November, 1871.

FOR SALE. SECOND HAND BILLIARD TABLE by Thurston, all complete, with new Oloth. Price \$250.

Apply to DA SILVA & Co... Ground Floor Hongkong Hotel, tf 2003 Hongkong, 20th November, 1871.

HONGKONG, MONDAY, 27TH NOVEMBER, 1871.

R. OEOIL GEORGE TATHAM is an LYL thorized to sign our firm per procuration at Foodhow from this date. HOLLIDAY, WISE & Go. . im 1956 Hongkong, Ilth November, 1871.

Notices of Firms.

NOTICE. THE business hitherto carried on at this I place under the style of HAUSCHILD & SORNSEN having been amalgamated with our own, both Mr. L. HAUSCHILD and Mr. F Sommen have this day been admitted purtners in our firm, which in future will consist of MR. WM. G. HALE. " J. G. CASWELL.

L. HAUSCHILD. WM. G. HALE & Co. tf 1744 Saigon, 1st October, 1871. A R. THOMAS PICKERING DROWN is IVI a partner in my business from this day, which will in future be conducted under the Style or Firm of E. VINCENT & Co. E. VINCENT.

tf 1676 Swatow, 2nd October, 1871. THE interest and responsibility of Mr. J DEFERES in our firm ceased from this E. ESTARICO & Co. tf 1553 Hongkong, 1st September, 1871.

NOTICE. AR. WILLIAM HENRY MOORE and Mr. OTTO FEIEDERCH, bave this day been admitted partners in our firm. LAMMERT, ATKINSON & Co. tf 1258 Hongkong, 30th June. 1870. NOTICE.

AR. WILLIAM ABBOTT TURNBULL is authorised to sign our firm from this BIRLEY, WORTHINGTON & Co. tf. 829 , Shanghai, 1st May, 1871. THE interest and responsibility of Mr. J. A.

July by mutual consent, and we shall carry on Naval Yard, on our business, as hitherto, under the same style. J. SMITH & Co. tf 14:0 Chefoo, 6th August, 1871. 41HE Undersigned having this day entered I into partnership as Merchants and Commission Agents, will conduct their business

under the name and style of NORTON LYALL & Co. EDWARD NORTON ROBERT LYALL. tf 1 Hongkong, let January, 1871.

THE OHINA FIRE INSURANCE

COMPANY, LIMITED.

HEAD OFFICE—HONGKONG. GENCIES at all the Treaty Ports of posed of by Private Contract.) on China and Japan, and at Singapore, Suigon and Penang. Bisks accepted, and Policies of Insurance granted at the rates of Premium current at the a nove mentioned Ports.

No charge for Policy fees. JAS. B. COUGHTRIE. Secretary Hongkong, 1st November, 1871. HONGKONG FIRE INSURANCE

COMPANY, LIMITED.

Adjustment of Bonus for the Year 1870 CHAREHOLDERS in the above Company nra requested to furnish the undersigned with a List of their contributions for the year ending 31st December last, in order that the distribution of 20 % of the nett profits reserved for Contributors may be arranged. Returns not rendered prior to the 31st October next, will be adjusted by the Company, and no claims or alterations will be subsequently admitted. JARDINE, MATHESON & Co.,

General Managers,

FORGERY!!! THE public are hereby informed that forgeries have recently been discovered of the laid on. Apply to old notes of the Hongkong and Shanghar BANKING Company Limited, and all holders of such notes are invited to present them forthwith at the Bank office for encashment. There is no reason to believe that any of the notes issued by the Hongkong and Shanghar Banking Corporation have been tampered with, as such precautions were taken in their manu-

tf 1310 Hongkong, 1st August, 1871.

most easy of detection. CEALED TENDERS for the supply of . Any information which may lead to the dis-WHEAT FLOUR, to be delivered at Sai- covery and conviction of the parties concerned gon in the course of the year 1872-73 for the in the forgery will be liberally rewarded, and Commissariat of the Navy, will be received at any communication likely to lead to such a rethe French Consulate up to 4 P.M. of the 15th | salt will be gladly received by the undersigned, December. Particulars as to the list of condi- or Mr. EDMUND SHABP, the Solicitor for the

facture as to render any attempt at a forgery

JAMES GREIG. Acting Chief Manager, Hongkong and Shanghai Banking Corporation. 1m 1953 Hongkong, 21st March, 1871.

WANTED. SITUATION in a Mercantile Office or A Bank at any of the Ports of China, Shanghai or Yokohama preferable, by one who has great experience as a Book-keeper; writes a good hand, and can undertake corresponding on business matters. Apply to E. V. C., care of the Editor of the Daily Press.

tf 1708 Hongkong, 6th October, 1871. FOR SALE, PHAETON, last American style, with A India Rubber Springs, complete. A pair of Java PONIUS. An American BILLIARD TABLE, complete, with Cues, &c. Apply to LANE, CRAWFORD & Co.

if 1916 Hongkong. 7th November, 1871. NOTICE. HE undersigned, Sweet-meat Dealers' Shop, bas been established at Canton for a number of years, and we have no other branch elsewhere than the one established in this City. The success of this most delicious and unrival- bity. Apply to led Preserves has caused some impudent and evil disposed persons at Hongkong and Macao (who are eager to obtain money by illegal means), to apply the name of "CHY LOONG"

THE three lots of Ground formerly belong- to their own inferior Goods. Thus the Public is cheated; but what good will be to the evi disposed who will be punished by, the visitation of Godf The Public are, therefore, requested to send their orders direct to our establishment which they can obtain our Genuine Goods.

Storet-meat Dealers' Shop, Canton, 6m 1854 Canton, 30th October, 1871. PRIVATE APARTMENTS.

R. W. E. ROGERS having leaded the LUSITANU CLUB BUILDING, in desirous of obtaining a few BOARDERS. having several suites of WELL FURNISHED ROOMS unoccupied. The Apartments can be at Balabak on the had with or without Board. Apply as above." 1758 Hongkong, 14th October, 1871.

TABE HONGKONG DISPENSAR A. D. 1841.

A. S. WATSON & Co. FAMILY AND DISPENSING CHEMISTS (By appointment). TO H.E. THE GOVERNOR AND HOUSE-TO H.R.H. THE DUKE OF EDINBURGE

ORIENTAL HOTEL DOWLING ALLEYS. Proprietor ... J. BAYNES.

Wines and Spirits of the best quality only. if 1726 Hongkong, 11th October, 1871.

Auctions.

GENERAL WEEKLY SALE. JURGENS & Co. will sell by Public

the 27th November, 1871, at their Sales Room, Queen's Road, at noon,-Blue CLOTH, TWEEDS, Woollen GLOVES JAOKETS, SOARFS, Tooth BRUSHES, Children's HATS, Paper COLLARS, &c., &c. TERMS OF SALE .- Cash before delivery in Mexican Dollars weighed at 7.1.7. 2035 Hongkong, 25th November, 1871. FURNITURE SALE.

LANE, CRAWFORD & Co. have received instructions to sell by Public Auction at No. 1, Caine Road, opposite the Hermitage,

WEDNESDAY, the 29th November, 1871, at 12.30 P.M.,-The property of a Gentluman, breaking up bis Establishment,— The whole of the Blegant HOUSEHOLD FURNITURE, &c., comprising :-Walnut Drawing & bom SUIT, Marble Tor TABLES, PIANO, Card and other TABLES, CARPETS, GASALIERS, MIRRORS, Dining TABLE, CHAIRS, Plated WARE, CROCKERY, and GLASSWARE, SIDE BOARD, WHATNOT, WARDROBES, BED-STEADS, Marble Top WASHSTAND, Toilet GLASSES, CORNICES.

TERMS OF SALE.—Cash before delivery in Mexican Dollars weighed at 7.1.7. All Lots with all faults and errors of description, at purchasers' risk on the full of the hammer. 2030 Hongkong, 24th November, 1-71. PUBLIC AUCTION.

THE Undersigned has received instructions I from R. F. HAWKE, Esq., Acting Naval Kock in our firm, ceased on the 28th of Storekeeper, to sell by Public Auction, at the Shop, containing a

> the 1st of December, 1871, at 11 A.M.,— H. M. Gun Boat "STARLING." One Anchor and Chain to be sold with the

TERMS OF SALE.—Cash before delivery in Mexican Dollars weighed at 7.1.7. ... J. M. ARMSTRONG. rent rates, on application to Government Auctioneer 1868, Hongkong, 3rd November, 1871.

PUBLIC AUCTION.

MR. E. WALLACE has received instruc-VI. tions from the agents of the owners, to sell by Public Auction, (unless previously dis-THURSDAY,

14th December, 1871. At No. 23, Water Street, Yokohama,-The British Scrow Steamer " CHIEFTAIN."

Tons Builders' Measurement, as she now lies in 3 the port of Yokohama, with Engines, (two of BOLT ROPE, ..., 5 200 Horse Power), Boilers, Sails, Rigging, Anchore, Chains, Boats, &c., in good working RATTLINE-STUFF, HOUSE-LINE, MAR

Two 40-pounder Steel Rifled Guns. One 6 do. Field Piece (fitted for Boat | Best English-made White LINES, viz. : Hand service), with their Carriages, and a quantity of suitable Shot and Shell and Ammunition. Photographs may be seen, and further particulars, obtained from

MESSES. FINDLAY, RICHARDSON & Co., AND. THE BORNEO CO., LIMITED. Shanghai and Hongkong. Copper TACKS, Copper Boat NAILS and Im 1945 Hongkong, 10th November, 1871.

THE Two Commodious 8 Roomed HOUSES. L known as 1 and 2, Westbourne Villas. and situated on the Caine Road, Stabling, Canvas HOSE. Flower and Kitchen Gardens. Gasand Water RAVILING, MEDLEN & Co. 1251 Hongkong, 24th July, 1871.

TO LET.

(With possession on or about the 1st January THE PREMISES in Wyndham Street, now SOFT SOAP, for Engine purposes, occupied by the "German Club." Water and Gas laid on. Apply to WILSON & SALWAY, Wire Tube BRUSHES, assorted sizes.

tf 1846 Hongkong, 27th October, 1871 HOUSES TO LET. IN various Parts of Hongkong. A list of HOUSES with size, locality and terms can be seen at No. 47, Wyndham Street. THOS. W. BARRINGTON. tf 642 Hongkong, 11th March, 1867.

TO LET. THREE first-class two story GODOWNS L situate on Inland lot No. 73, opposite Fletcher & Co.'s old premises, at present in occupation of the Military. Possession can be had early in February. Apply to

TURNER & Co. tf 183 Hongkong, 30th January, 1871. TO LET. (With possession on 1st January, 1871). THAT very desirable BUNGALOW, situate A st Pokfoolum, and known as "BEL.

MENKE, Esq. Bowling Alley, Coach House, 4-stalled Stable, &c., attached. Water laid on, GILMAN & Co. tf 2192 Hongkong, 17th December, 1870. MIRST-OLASS Granite GODOWNS,

Wanchi, Apply to ROB. S. WALKER & Co. tf 41 Hongkong, 9th January, 1871, TO LET.

FIRST-CLASS Granite GODOWNS, at Wanchai, from 12 to 80,000 piculs capa-8. E. BURROWS & SONS. of 1790 Hongkong, 17th September, 1869, NOTICE.

NE JOSEPH WREELWEIGHT, a citizen of the United States, and formerly of Fok Ohew, in Chins, was many years resident at Kimanio, on the N. W. Coast of Bornee, and at Canton, Housen, and this is the only way in subsequently at Labush -entered into parenership with the undersigned for the purpose of trading along the N. W. Coast of Borneo, Mal. ludu, and Palaman. On the 24th of May last, for the purpose

aforesaid, the said Joseph Wherlweight left Lubuan in command of the White Cloud, a fore and aft rigged schooner of about 60 tons burthen, and had on board goods belonging to the undersigned to the value of \$2,709.611. amounting to $3622.82\frac{1}{8}$).

heard of since. The White Cloud had, when ale 115. 53' 30". left Balabak, cargo to the value of \$2,209,614

signed, or to his Agent at Hongkong, any in- des Douanes à leur arrivée à Amoy. formation as to where the said Joseph Douanes d'Amoy. WHEELWRIGHT may be found. OHOA MAH BOO, (Chop-Boon BEE).

1901 Labuan, 18th October, 1871.

Intimations. PORT OF AMOY.

HIPOWNERS, AGENTS, and COM MANDERS are informed that the Dock COMPANY'S ESTABLISHMENTS at the above Port afford every facility, at moderate charges, REPAIRING AND SPARRING VESSELS OLEANING AND PAINTING IRON

SHIPS AND STEAMERS.

THEIR LARGE GRANITE DOOK, Has 286 feet length on the blocks, and at average spring tides can receive Vessels of 16 to 17, feet draught. It has a Uaisson Gate, and Powerful Centripugal And an Engineers' work-shop fitted with Lathes and Tools, driven by steam. Iron and Brass Foundries, Boiler-makers shop, a large Smithy, and Carpenters' and Boat-builders' sheds. All

Their two smaller GRANITE DOCKS can receive, at apring tides. Vessels drawing 12 feet. Spars, Timber, and other Dock-yard material

superintended by resident Europeans.

Quarters for Officers, and a DRY GODOWNor STORES, of Vessels under repair. H 2317 Amov. December 1868 $\mathbf{F} \cup \mathbf{O} \cup \mathbf{O} + \mathbf{H} \cup \mathbf{W} = \mathbf{D} \cup \mathbf{C} + \mathbf{K}$

BIVER MIN.

THE above granite floored DOCK, of the L following Dimensions, viz: Length, 300 feet. Breadth at Bottom, 40 feet, is capable of receiving Vessels drawing 13 to 16 feet, as the state of the Tides will allow. The Dock runs dry to the Blocks and is pumped out by Steam. The above premises comprise a large Machine-

Withworth's 12-inch Screw Culting GAP LATHE, DRILLING AND SCREWING MACHINES, A Large Smithy, &c., &c., &c. Large Godowns are on the premises for STOWAGE OF CARGO, &c., &c., A large Stock of Woods, Metal, &c., &c., alwayson hand. The Dock Steam Tug Woosung is available at all times to tow vessels to or from Sea, at our-

J. S. LAMONT. Superintendent. The list of Charges for lighting or remetalling vessels can no obtained from Mesers. NORTON, LYALL & Co., Hongkong, Mesers. Lane, Crawford & Co., Shanghai.

FOR SALE, EX "NEW ARRIVALS."

A N INVOICE of first quality Hoth's RUSSIAN ROPE, consisting of :-(late H.B.M. Steam Corvette Mutine,) of 882 4 stranded ROPE, from 71-inches downwards.

> LINE, HAMBROLINE, 2 and 3 YARN SPUNYARN. Lead LINES, Signal HALYARDS, LOG-

PUMP and Rigging LEATHER.

LINES, Fishing LINES.

India Rubber PACKING.

Brown Tarred SHEATHING FELT.

Peacock's Patent COMPOSITION.

Architects, &c. Paint BRUSHES, White Brothers' best Portland CEMENT.

> KEROSINE OIL. At LAMMERT, ATKINSON & Co. tf 1169 Hongkong, 10th July, 1871. DENTISTRY

COLLINS, D.D.S., No. 7. Arbuthnot Road. HONGKONG. tf 1219 Hongkong, 17th July, 1871, UUAST OF CHINA.

NOTICE TO MARINERS.

CHAPEL ISLAND LIGHTHOUSE. MONT," at present in the occupation of J. N the 15th instant, the Chapel Island Light olear weather it will be visible 22 nautical miles. where receipts will be granted for the same. to vane. The tower is painted black, with the per Annum will be charged on all Calls unpaid drow's Day. exception of the parapet, and window facings, on the 15th day of November.

which are of granite unpainted. The Lightkeepers' dwellings and aurrounding will are painted white. The light house is aituated in Lat. 10 10 18" N., and Long. 116 19 30" E.

arrival at Amoy. A. M. BISBEE. Divisional Inspector. Oustorn House, Harbour Master's Office.

Amoy, 16th November, 1871. 3m 2006 COTES DE CHINE.

PHARE DE CHAPEL-ISLAND

VIS est donné aux navigateurs qu'à partir

AL du 15 courant le fen du phare de Chapel (in this sum is included the said Joseph Lland a cté établi. L'ap areil est Dioptrique, Wheelwhight's debts contracted in Labuan de premier ordre et à feu blanc fixe var é à intervals d'une demie minute pur des éclats de The said Joseph Wheelwhight arrived lumière. Le bauteur du plus foçal est de 227 and traded piede auclaia au dessus de la haute mer. Sa there to the extent of \$600 or \$700, ont o portée est de 22 miles marine en temps clair. which the undersigned received \$500. Whilst I'm tour a 63 pieds anglais de hauteur de la the Chinese supercargo and clerk were on base à la girouette; elle est peinte en noir, à shore, the said Joseph - Wheelwhighr sailed l'exception du parapet et de la façade desfenêtres away from Balabak on the night of the 26th qui sont de granit non peint. Les logements August last, leaving the Two Chinamen to des gardiens et les murs environnants sont find their way back to Labuan in the best way peints en blanc. Le phare est situb par Latithey could, and the schooner has not been tude N. 24 10 18," et par Longitude E

1, the undersigned, hereby notify that a re- T ES Capitaines de navires passant suprés de ward of Fifty Dollars (\$50) will be paid by the Little se rendent a Amoy, sont price de andersigned in Labuan, or by his Agent, CHOA remarquer les signant qu'on peut leur faire de KIAT SIANG, of Kin Choong Hong, at Hong- I'lle, de rendre tout secont nécessuire et poskong, to any person who can give the under- sible, et d'en faire le rapport au Commissire Bureau du Capitaine de Port,

16 Novembre, 1871. A. M. BISBEE. Inspecteur Divisionaire. Intimations.

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MERCHANTS' MARINE INSURANCE COMPANY (LIMITED.) HEAD OFFICE-1, ROYAL EXCHANGE BUILDINGS, LONDON.

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OAPITAL, £1,000,000 IN 100,000 SHARES OF £10 EACH. First Issue, 50,000 Shares, £2 paid-up.

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THE NATIONAL BANK OF SCOTLAND, Nicholas Lane, London, and its Branches. Underwriter. John Joseph Tidd. JOSEPH ANGUS. DURING each year it is proposed to pay the Shareholders, Half-yearly, upon their

Bankers.

paid-up Capital, interest at the rate of 5 per cent. per anuum; and, ao soon as practicable after the expiration of each year, a Profit and Loss Account will be made up, showing the results of the business, due provision being made for all outstanding risks. Out of the Profits will first be paid an additional 5 per cent. on the paid-up Capital, making, with the interest to be paid, as explained above, 10 per cent, to the Shareholders, Before any further division of Profits takes. place amongst the Shareholders, one-fourth, say 25 per cent. of the residue, will be rateably

business Profits have been made during the The undersigned, having been appointed Agents for the above Company at this Port, Shanghai, Foucliow, Hankow, and Yokohama, are preparted to accept Marine Risks at our-

GILMAN & Co., tf 2016 Hongkong, 20th November, 1871.

NOTICE. HONGKONG PIER AND GODOWN

COMPANY, LIMITED.

MEETING of the SHAREHOLDERS of on board ship in this Harbor. the above Company, will be held on FRIDAY, Note.-The Specific Gravity of Takasima the 15th December, 1871, at the Offices of the Coal is 1.245, it contains 82.07 per cent. of Company, Peddar's Hill, at 3 o'clock P.M., for Carbon, and is admitted to be fully equal to the the purpose of confirming the Articles of As- best English North Country Coal for steaming sociation of the Company.

N. B. DENNYS, Acting Secretary 25d 2017 Hongkong, 20th November, 1871. NOTICE.

HONGKONG PIER AND GODOWN COMPANY, LIMITED. N EXTRAORDINARY GENERAL MEETING of the Shareholders in the above Company, will be held on FRIDAY, the 29th December, 18:1, at the Offices of the Company, Peddar's Hill, at 3-o'clock P.M., for the purpose of passing a Special Resolution confirming such Special Resolutions as may be

December, 1871. N. B. DENNYS. Acting Secretary. 39d 2018 Hongkong, 20th November, 1871. HONGKONG FIRE INSURANCE

COMPANY, LIMITED. TT is hereby notified that on and after this date no fee will be charged on Policies issued by the Company. JARDINE, MATHESON & Co., General Managers. Im 1875 Hongkong, 1st November, 1871.

NOTICE. VIOTORIA FIRE INSURANCE COMPANT

OF HONGKONG, LIMITED. TAROM this date, there will be no fee charged for Policies issued by this Company. AUGUSTINE HEARD & Co., Secretaries.

tf 1877 Hongkong, 1st November, 1871. THE HONGKONG PIER AND GODOWN COMPANY, LIMITED.

NOTICE. was lighted. The apparatus is Dioptric, MIHE SECOND CALL of TWENTY-FIVE of the First Order, shewing all round the bori- DOLLARS per Share on the Shares of zon a Fixed White Light, varied by Flashes at the above named Company, is payable on the intervals of half a minute. The centre of the Fifteenth day of November, 1871, at the Hong-

> N. B. DENNYS, Acting Secretary. 7. Pedder's Hill, 1818 Hongkong, 20th October, 1871.

NOTICE. MASTERS of Vessels passing near the land baving lessed the Hongkong Hotel to laland when bound into Amoy, are re-THE Hongroug Hotel Company, Limited, G. H. Munum's CHAMPAGNE, 1 baving leased the Hongkong Hotel to BRANDY, \$6 to \$12, quested to note any Signals that may be made to them from the Island, to render assistance if necessary and possible, and to report the Goods supplied to him or his order.

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For the Hongkong Hotel Co., Limited ED. BAKER. Secretary. tf 18 9 Hongkong, 81st October, 1871. THE GLOBE MARINE INSURANCE

COMPANY, (LIMITED). Subscribed Capital, £500,000, in 25,000 SHARES OF £20 EACH.

CAPITAL PAID-UP, £100,000. THE Company combines, with all the usual advantages of other well-managed Marine Insurance Companies, distinctive features, which offer special inducements to Insurers. The

profits of the business. Whenever the net profits in any year shall have sufficed to pay the Shareholders a dividend of 10 per cent, on their paid-up Capital, 25 per cent. of the sarplus on and after the 28th inst is to be distributed pro rate amongst such of the Insurers as have paid during the year £500 subject to Rept. and upwards in premiums. The Undersigned, having been appointed agents in China for the above Company, are prepared ito grant policies covering marine

isks at current rates. SIEMSSEN & Co. 3m 1567 Hongkong, 14th September, 1871. HE Undersigned have been appointed Sole quested to take immediate delivery, at the Agents for the Sale of their Goods in Company's Godown, Praya West. Hongkong and Ohina by Mesare. J. & R. Tennent, Glasgow, and Messra. David Corsar & Sons

Arbroath, ARNHOLD, KARBERG & Co. ul 419 Hongkong, Jenuary, 1867.

PRICE \$21 PER MONTH Intimations.

LUSITANO THEATRE. MB. W. H. Rogens........... Businces Manager. MR. E. D. HATGARTH Stage Manager. (TO-MORROW (TUESDAY) EVENING, NOVEMBER 28TH, 1871.

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With new Scenery, Dresses, Tricks, Music, &c. An entire change of interlude. For full particulars see Programmes of the day. Doors open at 8, commence at 9 o'clock.

Tickets for the performances can be obtained at all hours on application at the LUSITANO THURSDAY NEXT, NOV. 30rm. BENEFIT OF MR. ALFRED SINGER 204) Hongkong, 27th November, 1871.

FOR SHANGHAI, direct. Taking Cargo and Passengers at through rates for HANKOW, NINGPO, and PORTS IN JAPAN. THE O. S. S. Co.'s Steamship "ACHILLES."

-BUTTERFIELD & SWIRE, 2037 Hongkong, 27th November, 1871. FOR SWATOW, AMOY, AND FOOCHOW, THE Steamship

will be despatched TO-DAY, the 27th instant,

"DOUGLAS." Captain Toppin, will be despatched for the above Ports TO-MORROW, the 28th inst., at For Freight or Passage, apply to DOUGLAS LAPRAIK & Co.

2d 2038 Hongkong, 27th November, 1871.

STEAM TO SHANGHAL. THE P. & O. S. N. Co. steamship "OTTAWA." will leave for the above place about 24 hours after the arrival of the next English Mail. A. McIVER, Superintendent.

Hongkong, 27th November, 1871. [tf 2039 TO LET. With possession early in April. divided amongst those Insurers out of whose THAT very desirable RESIDENCE, Glan-L seskin House, now in the occupation of the Hon. J. PAUNCEFOTE. For particulars, apply to

P. & O. S. N. Co.'s Office.

ROB. S. WALKER & Co. tf 434 Hongkong, 10th March, 1871. TATHAM'S BRANDY in 1 duz. cases. SHERRY , 3 PORT___ 2 CLARET , 1

BIRLEY & Co.

TAKASIMA COLLIERY, NAGASAKI. THE Undersigned are prepared to supply L Coals from the Takasima Colliery (8 foot A N EXTRAORDINARY GENERAL seam), in quantities as required, to be delivered

> and all other purposes. GLOVER & Co. Agent in Hongkong. NORTON, LYALL & Co. tf 1951 Nagasaki, Japan, October, 1870. HAWKINS'S HORSE, REPOSITORY, Rear of Murray Barracks, Hongkong.
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> HORSES received on LIVERY.
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> Horses BROKEN to Harness.

HORSES, PONIES, HARNESS and CAR-RIAGES, for Sale. Also, Best quality of HAY. OATS, GRAM. BARLEY, and Indian CORN, for Sale. HORSES and CARRIAGES for Hire. PONIES do. HORSE SHOEING on the most improved passed at the Algering held on the 15th principles, under his own superintendence. T. E. HAWKINS.

> N.B.—All Diseases of the Horse attended to. tf 559 Hongkong, 11th Angust, 1871. NOTICE OF REMOVAL. DOSE & Co. have temporarily REMOVED their Business Premises from the Corner of Pottinger and Wellington to that of D'Aguilar and Wellington Streets, opposite Club

Chambers, the Premises formerly occupied by

Mr. A. BOYER.

Late Farrier-Major, Bengal Horse Artillory).

tf 1532 Hongkong, 7th September, 1871. GEORGE GLASSE (FIVE YEARS MANAGER TO KINSFORD & Co., PICCADILLY. LONDON, AND 28, PLACE VENDOME. PARIS). ENGLISH AND FOREIGN CHEMIST VICTORIA DISPENSARY,

HONGRONG AND YOKOHAMA. SHIPS' MEDICINE CHESTS SUPPLIED AND REFITTED. of 2036 Hongkong, 3rd September, 1867. NOTICE. / THE undersigned are prepared to SUPPLY STEAMERS with good CARDIFF COAL at \$12 per Ton, delivered alongside:

tf 1470 Saigon, August, 1871.

TAN KEN SENG & BROS.

NOTICE light is 227 feet above High Water, and in Kongand Shanghai Banking Corporation, A vered by the Rev. Dr. Legge, in Union LECTURE on JOHN KNOX will be deli-The lighthouse is 63 feet in height from base | Interest at the rate of Twelve (12) per centum | the 29th current, being the eve of St. An-Church, at 9 o'clock P.M. on WEDNESDAY, 1915 Hongkong, 7th November, 1871. MONTILLADO, ... per l doz. Case \$13 🔼 PALE SHERRY, 🔭 Superior MEDOC,... ... Superior ST. JULIEN, ... Sparkling MOSELLE,

> FOURTH DIVIDEND of Two per cent on all Claims against the above Estate admitted by the Trustees, will be paid at their Office, No. 7. Pedder's Hill, on the First Day

of August next.

tf 1100 Hongkong, 27th June. 1871. NOW READY. DOUND VOLUMES of the TRADE RE-PORT for the year 1870. Price \$10.

Apply at the Daily Press Office. Hongkong, 1st February, 1871.

Notices to Consignees MONSIGNEES per O. S. S. Co.'s atsamer

Company's Articles of Association provide that . "Achilles." are hereby notified that the Insurers shall have a Substantial Share in the cargo is being discharged into Craft, at landed at the Godowns of the undersigned, in both cares it will lie at Consignees risk. The cargo will be ready for delivery from Craft or Godown Goods undelivered after 5th December will be

> Bills of Lading will be countersigned by BUTTERFIELD & SWIRE. 7d 2036 Hongkong, 25th November, 1871. I THE following cases have been landed, stored and unimedred against fire, at the risk and expense of the consignees, who are re-

Principal Agent. Ex " Tigre BOM 201/204, Four cases Boots, from London. 1977 Hongkong, 15th November, 1871.

C. BERTBAND.

companies are depressed and anxious.

destruction. The advertisement columns indi- | Edinburgh.

NEW YORK, October 10.

cate what a vast and swarming hive of trade

and industry Chicago was, and the City article

A boy having, it is said, taken a kerosene lump

into the stable to milk a dow, the animal kick-

ed the lamp over, and set fire to the place. The

burning fluid ran to the wooden pavements,

and thus the flames were extended. As the

The deepest sympathy is expressed through-

ont Canada at the sufferings of the people of

Chicago, and liberal sums are being raised in

of the City, a subscription has been opened at

ferers through the great fire at Chicago. With

Under the auspices of the Uhief Magistrate

the principal cities towards their relief.

lieved to have perished.

ters have been shot.

The Marly Press

HONGKONG, NOVEMBER 27TH, 1871.

Ir is to be hoped that the local Government will take a warning by the results of the assistance which "Mandarin Foong" has recently been giving to them in the capture of criminals in the Colony; and that they will perceive what will be the consequences of the system, which they have shown themselves disposed to introduce. It would be very desirable that the public of Hongkong should be able to get at something like accurate information as to what has really been done in this matter; but, unfortunately, police affairs licans, denouncing the sale of liquors by Chiin this Colony are so conducted that the general Public must put their faith exclusively in the superior wisdom of the officials, and The following Justices were present -C. May rest contented with such scraps of information as may occasionally leak out in that portion of Police affairs which fortunately cannot | R. Belilios, A. Lister, and F. W. Mitchell, Esqs. be suppressed even in Hongkong, that is the They met at 11 a.m. and Mr. Francis and the proceedings before the Magistrates. Thus, al. reporters to the local newspapers, were requestthough the subject is of very great importance, inary discussion of the subject amongst them. The Futai arrived about 480, and must have we have no details as to what official countenance has been given to the arrangement of public.

This discussion lasted till after 12 been rather surprised at the unusual fuse made.

o'clock, when the doors were re-opened to the apparently in his bonour.' It is not unfrequentthe Scott Lane Mandarin. Such a matter is, the Police are acting; and it would be well if some of the non-official Members of the Council asked one or two questions which would elicit some statement from the Government on this point.

it appears that the Police were induced to sanction, if not to encourage, the system upon which the Mandarinate at Scott Lane became established, in consequence of their increasing inability to discover criminals and to pre- as they could. details of this matter with considerable reser. do away with licences altogether. vation, as all avenues of official information of these cases where a case of spirits had been are of course carefully closed; but we believe sold to the amount of 2 gallons in an assorted that the above is a fair statement of the origin of the affair. At all events, it seems · tolerably well established that the Head of the Police was induced to believe that Mr. Foong was a Mandarin duly deputed from the mainland, and under this impression been, there seems to be no question that brought before them, soon after the Police adopted this sten violent crimes became less frequent; but, unfortunately, the result was that a number of false charges were brought forward, one of which was of the most flagrant nalong at the time when it was stated they class of people the public houses could not supcommitted crimes on the mainland.

true, and the so-called Mandarin Foone is against the shipchandlers. made as to his position, the matter assumes | way. a more serious aspect than it has at present, by showing the absurd manner in which our nese. This, however, has yet to be proved, as it appears that the warrant of arrest recently issued was not as at first imagined against FOONG, but against another Chinaman who threatened to have natives arrested on charges of committing offences on the mainland: but, even assuming that the first version of the case is correct, and that Foone is some kind of petty official, the affair is serious enough to call attention to the absurdity of acting upon | didn't know it was a crime in the Colony. information so obtained. It is clear that if any such plan as that recently resorted to be encouraged, a thorough system of spying to a heavy fine. As a warning to others, he and squeezing will be established in the Co lony, and no native will be safe from moles.

state of affairs indicated is so obvious that complainant, and Mr. Brereton for the defendwe can hardly imagine the Head of the Po. ant. The case was brought under Section VI. lice will not be sensible of it. The affair only of Ordinance No. 12 of 1856, which classifies as brings us back to the old point, at which all this difficulty arises, that is the persistent obstruction, whether directly or consequentimanner in which the Executive continue ally, may accrue to a Public Road, Path, or to rely upon Chinese for information instead &c. The obstruction complained of was that of endeavouring to establish a detective caused by the dilapidated retaining wall of the service, which would enable them to get Mosque property, which fell in August last. some knowledge of what is going on for the defendant to rebuild the wall at his own exthemselves. It is argued that this must be pense useless; but at all events it ought to be tried; as if it were attempted and found to fail, we should still not be more hopelessly in the itself, in constructing a drain which was far too dark than we are at present. How with such | small to carry off the water, especially during facts as these before them, the Executive can have it under contemplation to increase the masonry as to lead to the fall and obstruction number of the Chinese Force, it is impossible to understand.

the steamer Danube, from Home vin Suez, bas | instant, at 11 a.m. run on a rock, and put back to Singapore.

We are glad to observe from a notification of the Postmaster-General, that the mails were saved from the steamer Rangoon, though they were somewhat injured by salt water.

got in the first over. Mr. Anton played steadily and well for the B. B.'s while nearly everyone scored on the side of the Merobants, Mr. Head quickly putting on the deck. Witness asked bim about the boat together the top score in good form. the amount of "extras" contributed by both mate, and together they searched the top-gal-

sides was extraordinary. BARRESS AND BROKESS. 2nd Innings. let Innings. P. W. Mein, c Substitute, b 2 b Jones.....

A. Coron, b Jones 9 b Welah.... J. M. Grigor, b Jones 0 c and b Welsh M. H. Cromartie, o Young, b O c Fost, b Well A. Leith, b Jones..... 0 b Welsh... J. Greig, c Wood, b Jones ... 9 c Head, b Welsh 0 E. Arthur, c Adlam, b Word 4 e Fogarty, b Welsh Ross Anton, not out....... 17 b Junes...... F. J. Pereira, c Wood, b Jones O (Sub.) not out....... R. Deacon (Sub.), b Jones.... O. (Sub.) run out....... bli, 102, w14, n-b 2... 29 bi, 1b2, w13, n-b1 17 made off again, and he had no means of giving A. L. Turner (Sub.), run out 4 c Post, b Wood

MERCHANTS. W. S. Young, b Greig... 16 | J. W. Wood, run out 1 F. S. Head, b Mein 83 D. Jones, c Mein b Greig 14 (F. F. Maclean, b Arthur 25 D. Weish, not out 21 W. H. Adiam, b Greig... 11 J. Grant, b Greig...... 27 H. Fone, c Substitute, b G. Fogerty, b Arthur.... 23 F. Duieg, b Greig 3

-LATE-TELEGRAM REUTER'S TELEGRAMS. SUPPLIED TO THE "DAILY PRESS."

LONDON, 23rd November. The Prince of Wales is suffering from typhus fever, no unfavourable symptoms, however, Sir Charles Dilke has delivered speeches.de-

nouncing Royalty and advocating a Republic The New Australian(P) Cabinet is now formed. Demonstrations have taken place at Brussels against the Ministry. Prince Alexis of Russia received an ovation at New York. He affirmed that the friendship of Russia for America was most desirable.

A formidable revolution has broken out in

MEETING OF JUSTICES.

A meeting of the Justices of the Peace was held on Saturday at the Magistracy, to discuss on the subject of a petition sent in by the pubnese without a licence. Mr. Francis appeared on their part, and the publicans were in attendance, in case they should be called upon. Esq , in the Obsir, the Hon. C. C. Smith, T. G. Linstead, G. F. Muclean, M. S. Tonnochy, W. M. Deane, L. H. Moorson, J. Russell, E.

Mr. Francis stated that he appeared on behowever, one in which the well being of the half of the publicans, who protested against the Franco Chinese Corps greeted him with foreign Colony is so much concerned, that it would be only right that some steps should be taken to half-n-dozen of Ale; he had a list of 80 houses his Excellency Tseng-kwo-fan, however, know upon what principle the Executive and which sold liquors retail. Many bouses sold a glass or as many glasses as you pleased. thought they should be bound to take out a licence, and the cost of the publicane licence lessened. The way in which these houses contrived to accommodate the public by retail sales, was, that not being allowed to sell less than one case, they made up this case by putting So far as the facts are at present known, three bottles of one sort and three bottles of an-

It was remarked by the Magistrates that a case of this sort should be brought to court, so that it might be decided. Mr. May remarked it was natural that the

public should try to get their liquors as cheap serve order. We can only pretend to give Mr. Frances: Then let us have free trade, and Mr. May advised Mr. Francis to bring up on

> Mr. Lister remarked that if the licence fee were granted at \$200 or \$100, still the com plaint against the Chinese would be the same. Mr. Tonnochy observed that a licence could

10t be granted to Chinese. The Magistrate considered that if it is known Canton to arrest men guilty of offences on | that any Chinese shop sold less than 2 gallons by the publicans they should complain to the police, and the case would be brought forward his services were called into requisition. before the Court. That mode of procedure Whatever the particular kind of influence | would certainly be less expensive than their exerted by this individual may have employing a lawyer. The Magistrates dealt fan at the Kianguah Arsenal. The first to afvery severely with all such cases as were

With regard to the publicans' complaint about granting new licences to houses eastward the Cross-roads, Mr. May thought the publicans had no ground to complain against after repeated attempts, the occupants effected meeting at the Langham Hotel on Thursday. publicans had no ground to complian against a landing by passing over some Chinese boats There has been a town meeting at Birmingham the flames are lapping up everything, and instance, the "Hongkong Hetel" was necessary, and from then climbing, as best they could, up for a similar purpose. as also the "Oriental Bowling Alley," the a dirty plank, which feat accomplished, they The city which has just met with such a terture, a number of Europeans fully identifying as also the "Uriental Downing Aney, they consisted of rible disaster is one of the most marvellous will reach 250,000 dollars. The farmers are the accused men as having been in the Co- Billiard Rooms;" they were houses needed for a

The Hon. C. C. Smith wished to know from Of course, if the last report turns out to be. Mr. Francis what complaint the publicans had Tseng was located, followed by their sedans, rapidly in population and wealth until it at-Mr. Francis stated that there was more liquor

The magistrates proposed that the subject be postponed, in order that Mr. Francis might be prepared to being up better proof. The meetguardians can be led by the nose by the Chi- ing was accordingly adjourned till next Wednesday, at 2.30 p.m.

> POLICE INTELLIGENCE. 25th November.

> > BEFORE C. MAT. ESQ.

TERRIBLE CRIME. Fernandez, a Portuguese Indian, was charged with shooting a small bird, whose corpse was produced in Court. Fernandez pleaded guilty of the murder, but actually declared that he Mr. May informed him that there was a law here for the protection of small birds, and that any person found killing them was liable must punish the defendant. Fined \$1, or 2

The Surveyor-General summoned Mr. Gutier-The importance of putting an end to the rez. proprietor of "The Mosque," for misance. Mr. Sharp, Orown Solicitor, appeared for that a nuisance and renders punishable by a fine of \$100 "the doing any act whereby injury or Walk, or to the Shore of the Sea, or to " &c.,

> The defence, as stated by Mr. Brereton, is that the fall of the wall was no fault of the defendant, but rather that of the Government the heavy rains of August, when it collected above the retaining wall, and so weakened the

complained of. The proceedings were commenced at a late hour, and little progress was made beyond the statement of the case on either side. The A telegram has been received stating that further hearing is fixed for Tuesday, the 28th

BEFORE J. RUSSELL, Esq. BEOACHING CARGO.

Thomas Burke, Otto Petterson, Alex. Hoday by Inspector Cradock with broaching the such men as Iwakura and Kido. It is remark- dealers from all surrounding parts. Hence it before the Russian army and vilvays are Owing to the untoward end of the first again. Inspector Cradock, recalled, stated be pointed to the Ministry of Public Works, by the failure of Unicago to pay for these taining this object, he recommends that the Germatch between the Banking and Mercantile had made search for the sampan that was said to should be nominated upon the Mission. came off on the-22nd and 23rd instant. The to its discovery. William Deuchare, the cap- ment in leading and responsible positions are be affected by any difficulties at New York. many is making war on Russia for the restoration of the core many is many is making war on Russia for the restoration of the core many is many is making war on Russia for the restoration of the core many is many is making war on Russia for the restoration of the core many is man came on on the same and and the many is many i B. B.'s and the result was a win in one innings. Francisco from Manila, but was obliged to put into this port in consequence of damage to the others will follow. first eclipsing his performances in Bombay in the first mate. On the 11th November he was '43, by two fine catches in the slips, and the on shore at the theatre, and returned to his latter coming out for the first time as a bowler, ship at about 12 o'clock, and us he approached and obtaining six wickets, of which four were be saw a boat under the bows. It pulled off, and he could not follow it as he was in an ordinary sampan. He went on board. The fourth defendant was then on watch : he was walking that he saw below the bows, and he said he knew The fielding of the Merchants was good, but nothing about it. The watch called the first lant forecastle, and found two bage of sugar in the head. A quantity of suger had been removed from the ship since he had come into port. They found that twenty five bage of sugar had been removed that night from the centre of the hold to between decks, just under the fore batch. Each bag weight 75lbs.; the price in Manila was \$7.50 per picul, all hands

were found to be in their beds, but they werecalled and asked about the augar. The men however denied all knowledge of the affair. Half an hour afterwards, the sampan returned, a dividend of 3 per cent. for the six months. and seeing witness and the mate, its occupants On the morning of the 20th of November the seventy six times in controlly for begging. Her York were encountered with a promptitude siege was the morning of the 20th of November the seventy six times in controlly for begging. Her first defendant came to him on the poop, and first conviction was dated July, 1835. She was which soon effect their traces, and at a later of an important musical novelty. Nevertheless Eastern exchanges during the whole of the during about three months in the year, the Instated he was one of the men, and that he had now sent to the Bessions for trial sold fifteen bags of sugar for \$8; he said also that no sugar was taken away on late number of the Guardian; "Discipling. energy.

the night of the 11th. Witness said that Wanted, the assistance of a kind judicious . According to the most recent telegrams, not ast rehearsals, was performed. This scene sult may be considered not unsatisfactory. some was only just got into the ship's head. Lady, used to girls, and accustomed to apply a single business house, bank, insurance office, is said to be highly dramatic, and quite equal to It appears that the recommendation which rest of the year the journey in a railway carriage He saw Capt. Deane about it by the advice of the birch rod. Part of time only required, and hotel or newspaper establishment in the south. the rest of the opera, from which it was excised it stemed from the previous report had been pursued without stopping, as compared with a the Harbor-Master. On the 20th November liberal terms arranged. A resident in London ern division of Chicago was left standing: with the sole view of bringing the work within made by the Associated Chamber of Commerce voyage in a steamer across a sea usually as te mustered all hands in the cabin, and the se- preferred, but not essential."

cond defendant said he had to do with the rein the removal of fifteen bags of sugar from deplorable event, which exceed anything that were huddled together like unimals, and many from Marseilles 15th October, via Port Said, which was not clearly distinguished from the the ship, and his share was \$1. The fourth can have been conceived from the bald ac- were dying from the exposure and hunger. Suez, Aden, Gallo, 8th inst., Singapore the resolution in the report. defendant was in charge of the ship on the counts brought by telegram. The fire broke Many persons it is said, who were rich a few 15th, and Saigon 20th, with the French night of the 11th; he was on duty to see that out on the night of Sunday, 8th. October, days ago, are now paupers. There is, however, mail, arrived on Saturday afternoon. The no theft was committed; he could not tell how and has resulted in the total destruction of a hopeful side of the picture. Tente and stores following late tolegrams are from the Ceylon First and second defendants sent to good for high gale prevailed and drove the flames abundance were arriving. Munificent contrimuch sugar bad been taken out. six months with hard labor, third sent to gaol

fourth defendant remanded till the 27th. Mr. Russell said he dealt summarily with the case, because the Mogul had cleared for sea. Otherwise he would have sent it to the Suprome Court, where probably the sentence would have been much heavier.

> SHANGHAI. AREIVAL OF TSENG-RWO-FAN.

The N. C. Herald of 22nd instant gives the following account the above event : -It was reported on Sunday that Teengrkwo fan had arrived, but the high mandarin whose advent was announced by salutes from the Chi nese gun-vessels was the Acting Futai, from Soochow. The Arsenal authorities were on the qui vive, and a number of foreigners had also gone up in the hope of sceing the Vicercy land. The Franco-Chinese contingent, numbering quite a crowd of small mandarins stock markets of New York, consequent upon States Minister, occupied the chair, and in 360 men, the Taotan's guard, numbering 250 had assembled to pay their respects, were at the Arsenal jetty, which was tastefully decorated with banners, while a canopy was erected over the entrance, with a mat covering leading down to the landing place. ly the case that the avant-courier is taken for Sorous commercial life, and is almost reminded. With a similar object in view meetings were the distinguished visitor. The Fife Band of the

arrived in the evening, shortly after the Futui. His retiune is an extensive one, and consists of from two to three thousand people, including escort. Being somewhat advanced in years and infirm, his eldest son always goes with him and assists in managing public business. On Monday morning, at an early hour, the Foreign emloyis, headed by Mr. J. Rolls, the Superinten. dent of the Arsenal, were presented to his Excellency by Fung, the mandarinincharge. Tseng expressed himself highly satisfied with their labours up to the present moment, and hoped that they would continue in the service of His Imperial Majesty. He subsequently made a minute inspection of the different workshops, the shipyard, and also of new frigate new on the stocks. The new iron steam yacht, just being constructed for his use, seemed to claim his special attention. She is designed by Mr. Superintendent Rolls, and is to be of great speed, light draught, have a twin-screw propeller and ample accommodation. His Excellency called on Mr. Fryer, the head of the Translatation Department, where some refreshment was partaken

Thursday is bis Excellency's birthand as be intends spending it in Shanghai, great preparations are now making at the Arsenal, in order to celebrate it in a proper manner. Tseng is 59

years of age. On Tuesday, nearly all the Consula of foreign nations paid official visits to Tseng-kwo-Hart, who had their interview with Tseng and the Mansion-house for the benefit of the suf left before the next party came. Shortly after noon, the steam launch of the Austrian frigate the same object General Schenck invited the Fanasa was observed coming up the river, and United States citizens now in London to a Consulate. When all had got ashore, they and even in 1840 its population did not exceed moved in order towards the building where 5,000. From the latter period, however, it rose paid the visits in the Settlement.

ments, and that its adoption on land by the librarics, hospitals, and banks. native authorities is not far distant. When they once sea a road steamer at work, we hope

counts made up to 30th September show a balance of unappropriated profits of Tls. 52,325.48. The Report and Accounts were passed; a dividend of 12 per cent. per annum for the half- to-day paupers. year declared; 5 per cent. bonus to contributing

YOKOHAMA.

duce railways.

(Japan Mail, Nov. 18th.) to make an inspection of the arsenal.

the grain shipmentato be most active, previously of a Franco-Russian alliance against Germany.

The object of the Mission is studiously control to the close of navigation, and, on the The writer therefore thinks that it will become cealed, but it is fair to infer that matter of other hand, for the autumn supply of Manches- "a matter of absolute necessity" for Germany Egypt to Alexandria will be continued. When who have fallen in love with the new route are great importance to the Empire would alone ter, Lyons, and other goods to be concentrated to provide against this danger by making an the present negotiations are completed, the P. dreaming of the India of tradition and fable, to provide against this danger by making and and an angle of the listify, at a moment like this, the absence of by the wholesale bouses for the wants of the latempt to extend her frontier to the Dnieper be published.

| And O. Company's "Time-table for 1872" will the India not yet known to be very poor and to attempt to extend her frontier to the Dnieper be published.

domands universal recognition.

kade by Mr. De Long. The Colorado returns to tions will be obliged to realise in a proper staff, however, concludes the writer, " would not Yokohama on Monday.

A large fire, which extended from the fort to | bonds and shares of the railway companies conaway. The damage is estimated at from and the impoverishment of the people, and the exclusively to Asia." 300,000 to 600,000 Rios. A small shock of earthquake was felt yesterday morning at about 415.

A woman has been brought before the Marl-

The home papers brought by the present The gas-works, as well as the water-works, had the whole business part of the city. A were being served out, and supplies in great Observer :over the city. All the wholesale warehouses, butions had been raised in many parts of the for three months, also with hard labor; and the banks, public buildings, theatres, great hotels, Union, and Canada was actively manifesting six grain clevators, much shipping, and ten her sympathy with the host of sufferers. thousand houses are burnt, 100,000 persons are Moreover, the rebuilding of the city had already without shelter. The waterworks are destroyed, commenced.

and three square miles of the city are in ashes. Last evening the public subscription set on The loss is estimated at five hundred millions foot by the Lord Major at the Mansion-house, of dollars. The authorities of the principal towards relieving the destitution caused by the cities have forwarded supplies of food, bedding, calamity, amounted to nearly £10,000. Of that and clothing, and baye called relief meetings, sum Messrs. Buring Brothers contributed The President has ordered military stores to the £1,000; the house of Rothschild & Sons, relief of the enflerers. Many lives have been £1,000; Messrs. J. S. Morgan & Co. £1,000 lost. The shares of the railways centreing at Messrs. Brown, Shipley & Co., £1,000; the Chicago are depressed, and breadstuffs and pro- Great Western Railway of Canada, through the visions have advanced in consequence of the fire. Lord Major as president of that company, up buildings with gunpowder, but ineffectually. through the president, Mr. R. Potter, £1.000; evening to consider the best means of aiding There is a panic in trade circles, and in the the sufferers. General Scheuck, the United

the losses. The shareholders in insurance speaking of the offers of help which had already reached him, made a graceful acknowledgment We have received the Chicago Tribuno of of the generosity of sentiment which had been September 26th and 27th, only about ten days expressed by the En lish people. Formal reprior to the outbreak of the calamity, which has cognition of this was made by resolution. A left the capiful of the West a heap of ruins. vote of deep sympathy with the people of Chi-In looking at these two papers one cannot help | cago was passed, and a committee was appointbeing struck with the abounding signs of vi- ed to obtain and appropriate subscriptions. of the position of Pompeii when on the eve of | held vestorday at Birmingham, Liverpool and

PHILADELPHIA, October 12th. The district burnt covers nearly nine square and commercial reports show that an immense miles. and incendiaries were arrested at first, but now

The conflugration in Chicago raged until an order prevails. The persons arrested were rly hour this morning, when a heavy rain generally summarily dealt with. ell, extinguishing the flames. The cities and More than 100 dead bodies have been found. towns throughout the country are subscribing Aid is pouring in. Relief trains from Philaliberally in aid of the sufferers by the burning delphia and New York reached Chicago to-day of Chicago. The railroads are transporting the Up to this time the American subscriptions relief stores free. Thousands of houseless amount to about \$8,000,000. The people of Chicago are showing uppafamiles are encamped in the vicinity of Chicago, and Government has sent 500 soldiers to act as ralleled energy. The newspapers are again published, business is being resumed, and the officers will serve with a R giment one year, The fire is stated to have begun in a stable. shops are opening.

> MORE FIRES IN AMERICA. NEW YORK. October 13th. The entire town of Manistre, in Michigan, has been destroyed by fire. 200 houses and

mills have been burned, and the loss is estimatfire progressed people became crazy with excitement, and many were trampled to death and ed at 1.250,000 dollars. In Wisconsin, also, four villages on the others burnt. Five hundred persons are be-Green Bay river have been burnt, with a fearful loss of life. The inhabitants were sur-Tents to shelter 75,000 persons have reached Obicago. The dead found in the ruins already rounded by the flames, and 153 fugitives were exceed 100, and many persons are dying from burned alive in a barn. Hundreds of persons exposure. Special trains with food and clothwere driven into the river, and altogether 500 ing are arriving in the city, guarded by milipeople are said to have perished. tary. Forty planderers and turbulent charac-

Huron, Tuscola, and Sanilac counties of Mi- each. chigan. Huron city. Forestville, Whiterock, and many other villages have been destroyed. Many persons have perished in the flames, and great losses in cattle, borses, and winter stores have been sustained.

We find also in the New York papers deliverto-day the following :-- " Later news from the fire raging along the coast of Lake Michigan, ble. between Manitowoo and Ahnapee, state that their course. The losses in Kewanee County tions with Germany.

THE FUTURE OF EUROPE. and an immense crowd of the unwashed tained an importance second, perhaps, to that "on the reconstruction of Europe," written by "braves." In about twenty minutes after en- of no commercial city in the world. It has long a German residing at Warsaw. The whole of not deputed from Canton, which is quite sold in shipchandlers' shops than in any other tering the Yaman, the visitors took their leave, been known as the great trading city of the far | kur pe, he says, is now at the mercy of two possible, notwithstanding the statements houses, and payment was made in an indirect to make room for another lot. The lat. West. It is there that the grain of the West States Germany and Russia. England is "a tor came up river in the U. S. S. Mono- and other important productions are collected declining Venice." The opening of the Suez cacy, which anchored opposite the Arsenal, for transport to the seaboard and to Europe. Canal has brought back the trade of the world and as her passengers went over the side In 1857 the city contained 137 manufacturing into its old channel, after it has been diverted into the launch a salute was fired. Amongst establishments, and since then its progress has since the sixteenth century to the advantage those who landed were, the United States, continued at an accelerating ratio. Much as of England and Holland, and southern Europe German, and Spanish Consuls with their in has been said about the rapid development of will gradually draw to itself the wealth which terpreter, also Captains Kimberly and McCrea, Liverpool within the last century, it is nothing England has hitherto monopolized. The isolaof the Benicia and Monocacy. A landing was not compared with the marvellous strides made tion of the aristocratic class from the rest of the Indian Council, vice Mr. Elliot Macnaghten effected without difficulty, and when fairly by Chicago." Many of the leading railways of the English nation is, he thinks, an unmistak- resigned ashore the party were in doubt which way to America converge towards that city, and the able sign of its coming fall. "England has turn, as there was no one to receive them. For less in a commercial point of view arising from abstained from interference in continental po- Officers of the Army to retire prior to the issue tunately they met one of the Arsenal foreign the awful fire which we record to-day will be lities since the Crimean and Mexican of the New Army Warrant. officials, who invited them to his house, and enormous. The population of the city in 1850 wars, probably because she feels that her vital their arrival was announced. Tseng was, however | was 28,269; in 1857, 130,000; and probably at | forces are being exhausted. . . There is | discount to six per cent. not ready to receve them, and they had to wait the present time the total is little short of a no alternative for her but either to ally herself a considerable time, during which they were en quarter of a million. With reference to the to Germany, or to perish with her antiquated tertained by Chen. In due time they were ad position of the ill-fated city, it may be remark, prejudices and obsolete institutions." As Ministry. mitted into Tseng's presence; and shortly after- ed that it is beautifully situated on an inclined for the Latin nations-" conquered France, with an interpreter, arrived. To-day Tgeng re- Michigan for many miles. Some idea of its ex- they will go on weakening themselves with Bobemia, Moravia, Bukowina, Upper Austria, tent may be gained from the fact that an area internal convolsions. The days of Austria, Loo, and Galicia. We understand he is to visit the Telegraph of three square miles is now said to be reduced are numbered. "The new Ministry is pre-Offices, so that there seems good reason to be- to ashes. Chicago abounded in public build- paring the ruin of the State. The autonomy lieve a strong impression has been created on ings, most of which have doubtless perished. offered to the Austrian nationalities is by the Chinese mind by the introduction of tele- Amongst these were a fine Custom-house, a no means an administrative decentralizatio. graphy on the coast and in the Foreign Settle- cathedral, several spacious churches, large whose object is the improvement of the assist the Imperial Parliament. material prosperity of the country ; it is really NEW YORK, Thursday. the first step towards an utter disintegration, The loss of life is estimated at 500 persons. by which those who will profit the most are they will begin also so to appreciate and intro- Not a business house, bank, insurance office, Russia and Germany. . . . The conferences express office, hotel, or newspaper establish- at Gastein have for the present retraded this ment is left in the south division of the city, result, which, however, is inevitable. The The above paper notes that the ordinary half- and the entire business portion of the north side. Austria of to-day will in the nature of things yearly meeting of of Union Steam Navigation | and a portion of the west, are consumed. In all, have ultimately to be divided between Gor-Company was held on the 20th inst. The ac- 12,000 houses are destroyed, as well as gas and many. Russia, and the new Hungaro-Rouaterworks. The people are huddled together manian Power imagined by Prince Bismarck.

like animals, and are dying from exposure and Holland, Denmark, Sweden, Norway, and the hunger. Persons who were rich yesterday are German cantons of Switzerland are in the view of the writer "only so many atoms which will The fire at Chicago seems, both in its finan- have to yield to the force of gravity, and be cial and commercial bearings, likely to prove absorbed into the great Toutonie Empire." more disastrous than any ever known in the Russia and Germany will then remain face to world. Chicago, with its population of 300,000, face as the rulers of Europe; but a rectifiwas the grand centre both of the export and cation of frontier will still be necessary import trade of the West, and the calamity has to secure the future prosperity of the Father-It has long been understood that His Majesty occurred at a season when that trade was ap- land. In ten years, says the writer, when the Mikado intended visiting Yokohama, but proaching its beight. About 400,000 tons of the network of the Russian railways and the refor various reasons the visit has been deferred. shipping were, directly or indirectly, engaged organization of the Russian army are completed, be made. His Majesty will remain but a few 200 to 250 trains daily arrive and depart. of a million men on the Danube or the Daieper far exceeded anything known elsewhere, former river she could cut off Germany's com-It is the intention of the Government to des- and, while its granaries and yards were thus munications with the East, while a Russian patch a Mission, consisting of several of the filled, its magnificent warehouses were stored army proceeding from the Dnieper through highest officers of State, to Europe. It will with the manufactured goods and articles of Poland might advance without any serious obprobably consist of Iwakura, Kido, Okubo, domestic luxury received from Europe in return stacle straight to Berlin. The latter contin-Yamada, and Ito, but this is not yet fully de- for these riches. It was now just the time for gency would be especially dangerous in the case

tionate degree their boldings in Federal and make the mistake that Napolcon Jid in 1812 The underwriters of the cargo of the French State accurities. The same will be the case it would not attempt to penetrate as far as St. ship L'Arabis have sonsented to pay the claims, with the life offices which have made advances Petersburg or Moscow. The acquisition by of which so much has been heard, in full, on bonds and Chicago mortgages. All the Germany of the Baltic and Polish provinces would be a sufficiently decisive defeat to Russia the theatre, has taken place at Hakodate, by verging upon the city must likewise temporari- who would than be reduced to her old which many hundreds of houses were swept ly suffer from the prospect of enspended traffic, possessions, and be forced to turn her attention

shares of the Illinos line, the Erie line, and others have consequently been sold at a decline of mearly £3 per share. Still, in Colony is an announcement that Basatolandthe midet of the confusion and loss it is a region made familiar to the English public necessary to bear in mind the vigour and by the writings of African travellers-has June of the Chartered Mercantile Bank of In-Bunk of India, London, and China, announce clasticity with which the American people meet been annexed to the Colony, being divided into dia, London, and China shows a net profit of must be contrasted are thus the land journey of the two fires which within the past 35 years size continue to be found.

while the entire business portion of the north something like reasonable dimensions.

NEW YORK, 26th October. The Federal Authorities are enforcing the laws against polygamy, and have made several

Mr. Boutwell has ordered the schooner Horton, which the Canadians seized for a breach of the Fishery laws, and which the Americans afterwards cut out, to remain at Gloncester, pending the action of the Canadian authorities. Obituary-General George Jameson. London, 29th October. Mr. Gladstone delivered a speech before

12,000 electors of Greenwich, yesterday, and claimed in defence of the Government to have laid the basis of contentment in Ireland. He justified the economy effected, without weaken-Efforts were made to stop the flames by blow. £1,000; the Grand Trunk Railway Company, ing the Army and Navy, and declared that the abolition of the parchase system was necessi-The burnt section of Chicago extends from Mesers. Bischoffsheim and Goldschmidt, £500. | toted by the development of military seience in Twelfth street northwards. Everything has A meeting of American citizens resident in Europe. He announced for the next session been burnt from the lake shore inland nearly London was held in the Langham Hotel last of Parliament projects relative to secret elections and contagious diseases, and enumerated the ameliorations effected in the condition of workmen. No ellusions made to Foreign affairs. M. Thiere, in receiving the General Councillors of the Seine and Oise, renewed his declaration that he wished to maintain a Republicadding that Republicans should show by wisdom and moderation that a Republic would ensure order and prosperity.

LONDON, 30th October. Sir Lawrence Peel and Sir O. Colville are appointed paid Members of the Judical Committee of the Privy Council. The Rev. Hugh Jermyn is gazetted Bishop

The English Yacht Livonia has been beaten Dauntless, in the International Yacht Race. provisionally appointed to preside at Council, and under seceretaries have been appointed to manage the different Ministerial departments. LONDON, 1st November.

Act is issued: pointment of sub-lieutenants, will be given after | the Bosphorus would have to encounter trecompetitive examination or probation, when

their professional examination for Lieutenant | ments are the merest trifle. One gentleman, within three years. Promotion to be made by seniority up to the rank of Major, and selection for the position Lieutenant-Colonel. The purchase of steps is forbidden under the

heaviest penalties. The European Insurance Company have resolved to accept the offer of the New York Insurance Company to transfer their business. M. Kellerney has been entrusted with the which, as one Homeric here says to anoformation of the Austrian Ministry. The Compteir Escompte have authorized an

LONDON, 2nd November. The Army Warrant provides for annual confidential reports from the Commanders, on the territory of some of the most savage, the most efficiency of their Battalions and the conduct | fanatical, the most jealous, and the most couof the officers, each officer reporting on the rageous races in the whole world. It is true

tenable for five years, and afterwards re-eligi-

Beelin, 2nd November. Provincial correspondence says that France sweeping houses, barne, stores, and piers in is making some efforts to establish good rela-A Telegram from Persia states that the famine is increasing at Ispahan. A letter from Prince Napoleon declares that

the people alone can terminate the present orisis. A Plebiscitum should decide between The Posen Gazetle publishes a onrious letter a Republic and Royalty, and between the Bourdon dynasty and the Bonapartist. LONDON, 4th November. Sir Robert Collier, (the Attorney-General,) Sir James Colville, and Sir Montague Smith,

have been appointed paid members of the Judicial Committee of the Privy Council. The approintment of Sir Lawrence Peel is Colonel Goldschmid is gazetted Knight Commander of the Star of India. Sir Henry Mayne is appointed a member of

The Bank of France has raised the rate of LONDON, 5th November.

M. Killersperg has formed an Austrain In his programme he disowns political comwards the representatives of the Telegraph Co., plain extending along the shores of Lake incapable. Italy, and anarchical Spain - promise, and proposes to dissolve the Diets in

> An Imperial decree has been read in the Chamber at Prague, which says that the changes of the Diete are only possible by legislation, and hopes Bohemian Members will

London and China Express .:-mail of the 27th ult. Sir Edmund Hornby has Mediterranean would prefer to despatch them obtained an extension of leave to May, when, to India through the Suez Canal. It is even according to present arrangements, he will pro- more than likely that the mere necessity of cood to Shanghai and resume his post of Chief shipping for Havre and there breaking bulk Judge in China and Japan. Mr. Chaloner | would be conclusive against the choice of the Alabaster, Vice-Consul at Shanghai, will re- so-called land route. The simple fact is that turn to his post by an early mail. The death the so called milway would be useless for the of Mr. John Markbam, Acting Consul at purposes of the Commerce. The commodities

Shanghai, is noticed in another column.

The various foreign employee of the Govern- Lyons, and the other manufacturing towns may should issue a manifesto declaring that Ger- factory. The present management will soon ed that the passenger routes through Asia dealers and had for the public. As regards the months." In Russia itself, too, they would vene a general meeting for the purpose of gous and parallel. The passage by land An entire thoroughness seems to characterize provision trade, its effect may be less import. End many alics "Of the Russian generals declaring a dividend, it is considered desir- through France and Italy to Brindisi, or by part in his Government, and the liberality of the November frosts, and the quantity in store mationality, and 12 per cent. only are Russian; published annually, to lay before the share- Mediterranean south of the Italian peninsula, sentiment, which he shows in his conduct of it, as yet may, therefore, have been small. Equally and nearly the same proportion of the Germans | bolders a statement of the progress made during | will be identically the same in the two cases. serious with the disturbance to be occasioned is to be found in the civil administration. As the six months ended 30th June last. After From these points the course to Alexandretia We understand that Mr. De Long will very in trade may be, in many cases, the financial for the soldiers, the cadres of the army can bringing operations to a po. t at the above date, or some other place in the Levant, and the probably return to the United States by the P. consequences. The large insurance offices of under the present system only be filled in time | the net profits for the half-year amount to course to Alexandria or Port Said in Egypt, M. steamer leaving this at the end of December. New York, Boston, Hartford, and else of war by men on furlough who do not know 227,012 9s. 2d. a result which cannot but admit of the closest comparison, although the On Friday last twenty officers of the U.S.S. where will be called upon, more or less, the use of breech-loaders, and would thus be be deemed satisfactory, considering the dif- passage to Asia Minor is somewhat the longer. Colorado and Alaska were presented to the Mi- to a crushing extent, and these institutation in the German ficulties in the way of profitable business. The passenger who takes the Egyptian route East, and the unremmerative state of the times dangerous voyage through the Red Sea. Exchanges. The balance sheet made up to But the passenger who travels by land will 31st December last exhibited a deficiency of practically not escape such a voyage. The rail-£59,022 9s. 11d., which has been reduced by way is only to take him to the top of the Perthe above-mentioned profits to £32,010 0s. 9d. | sian Gulf, and the passage down this gulf and The directors are able to report, after a strict | the continuing Gulf of Oman bears the strongre-valuation, that the provision made for bad est analogy to the voyage down the Red Sta. and doubtful debts at the close of 1870 is in The inland seas on the two cousts of Arabia every respect ample; and they have pleasure in have the completely physical resemblances. Among the news just received from the Cape adding that since then no bad debt has been There is a general agreement that the Persian incurred." The half-yearly statement of accounts to 30th

and repair every adversity. The consequences four magisterial districts. Diamonds of large £43,047 2s. 7d. The dividend of 3 per cent. will across Asia Minor and Mesopotamia, and the absorb £22,500; leaving a balance of £20,547 2s. sea passage from the mouth of the Red Sea to have devastated the business portions of New Of all unlikely places Paris during the first 7d, carried forward to next account. The di- Bombay. Both routes may be regarded as period a like visitation at San Franciso caused it appears that on the 4th of last December an half-year has again seriously affected the pro- dian Ocean because it is hished by the storms The following advertisement appeared in a a still greater development of indomitable entirely new scene, written by Meyerbeer for fitable working of the Bank; but under these of the monsoon, the Asiatic railway, from the "I see Hugnenots," and out out at one of the unfavourable circumstances it is hoped the re- fierce summer heats of the interior of a con-

THE GREAT FIRE AT OHICAGO. side and part of the west were also consumed. ARRIVAL OF THE FRENCH MAIL China in exchange for those on the upper The M. M. steamer Donnai, Capt. Rigodit, tion, but was solely a proposal of the speaker,

THE LOSS OF THE P. AND O. STEAMER "RANGOON." The Straits Times of the 14th inst. publishes

full account of the loss of the P. & O.

steamer Rangovn at Galle, on the evening of

the lat instant. From a letter to the P.

& O. Agent here, we learn that the Rangoon sailed from Galle at 6 o'clock on the afternoon of the let inst., in charge of a pilot, and stopped at the entrance of the harbour to pick up her mail boat, when she was caught by the current and drifted towards the Cadda reef in turning ahead, she struck heavily upon the reef, making a large hole in her bottom. She was run alongside a vessel at anchor in the roads, anchored, and the passengers at once put on board this vessel, and a portion of the mails taken out, She sank at midnight in 15 fathoms water. Owing to the strong current pacvailing at this season of the year, all attempts to get at the vessel by diving have failed. The Travancore, with the China muil did not arrive till next day; so that mail, cargo, and passengers from Ohina and the Straits were not on board. The P. & O. Agent here has been also advised that the P. & O. steamer Behar, which arrived at Galle on the 7th instant as an extra steamer. would be despatched on the 8th with the Australian mails, so that the other branches of the P. & O. cervice will not be deranged owing to this lamentable accident. The mails and cargo from Europe and India went down with the

NEW ROUTES TO THE EAST.

(Pall Mall Gasette.) . We fully believe that a railway from the east coast of the Mediterrane in to some point not far, as the crow fles, from the frontier of Briby the American Yachts Sappho and the tish India is possible to engineering skill. We further do not think it doubtful that, of the The Austrian Minister of Finance has been lines which such a railway could take, the line called after the Euphrates Valley, from Alexandretta, or some such point, to the west coast of the Persian Gull, presents the fewest diffienities. The routes projected to start from the The Royal warrant to carry out the Army Black Sea, which will benceforward be commanded by Russia, may be at once dismissed. Henceforth the first step, namely, the ap- for political reasons. The lines beginning from mendous engineering difficulties at their western end; those proposed to be constructed through and receive one year's training at the Military Affghanistan, besides enormous obstacles to engineering, must surmount at their eastern Officers will be removed on failing to pass | end moral obstacles to which material impediwho had the assurance to hint that he had personally inspected the countries of which he wrote, impressed on us the other day through the Times that the proper route is from Herat to Peshawur, we presume through the famous Khyber Pass. It is necessary at this day to point out that, of all the difficulties which prevent communication between nations and countries, the most formidable are not those ther, kept their fathers from quarrelling-"many shadowing mountains between them, The forest fires have desoluted the St. Chair, issue of Ten Millions of Notes of five francs and much resounding sea!" Far more nearly wild and warlike tribes; and the route thus coolly recommended would pass through the that abler and better informed persons have Majorities and Lieutenant-Coloneloies to be suggested a line, only a few degrees easier, assumed that they regarded the construction of the railway as secondary to a number of serious

through Herat and Candahar, down the more southerly Bolan Pass, into Scinde. But we should probably do them no injustice if we military and political measures, including possibly a second attempt to subjugate Afighanistan. The only route worth taking into rational account is the so-called Enphrutes Valley route. which is not only perfectly practicable, but i not difficult to engineers, save at its commencement in the west. It is desirable that this should be understood, in order that attention may be fixed on what are the really important and most disputable questions-What will the railway cost? is it worth the money? and how is the money to be raised? Nothing, in the first place, can be more

absurd than the popular mode of describing the projected railroad as a land route from England to India. It ought to be unnecessary to observe that a land route from England to India through Asia is no more possible than a land route from England to India through America. Let us suppose the line constructed, and trace Two thousand applications were made by the passage along it of a bale of piece-goods manufactured at Manchester. It would be shipped at Liverpool. Thence it would probably go to Havre, where bulk would be broken. I would next be conveyed through the Mont Conis tunnel to Brindisi, where it would be reshipped. "A service of steamers, not yet organized, would carry it from Brindisi to some harbour, not yet constructed, on the coast of Asia Minor, probably Alexandretta. Bulk would again be broken, and the goods would next beconsigned to the Euphrates Valley Railway. But it would not carry them to India. Nobody has at present proposed to construct the railway beyond a point near the top of the Persian Gulf. Bulk would therefore be broken a third time, and the bale. finally shipped on board a steamer, would start, from a port to be made hereafter, for Kurrachee or Bombay. The only way in which these The following items are taken from the manifold interruptions could be diminished would be by shipping the goods direct for Sir Richard MacDonnell, the Governor of Alexandretta; but we may be absolutely sure Hongkong, we understand, will leave by the that the owner of goods once shipped for the

which pass to and fro between England and We understand that negotiations are in pro- India are mostly bulky in proportion to their gress between our postal authorities and the value. Piece-goods, salt, and copper move one Government of France as to the conveyance way. Raw cotton, jute, rice, and indigo move of the India and China Mail through France | the other. It is very doubtful whether the new and the Mont Cenis Tunnel to Brindisi. The railway route, with its triple interruption, could German authorities are using their best efforts hold its own against the passage round the to induce our Government to continue the pre- | Cape. It is morally certain that it cannot We believe, however, that it will very shortly in it; 24 lines of railway meet there, and from Russia will easily be able to assemble an army sent route by the Brenner Pass, but it will be compete with the route through the Sucz Canal. hours here, and will then proceed to Yokoska Its traffic in grain, lumber, and provisions at very short notice. By advancing from the of time with the Mont Cenis. It is expected Select Committee appointed last session, when two days, and that the despatch of the bome- simplicity that he had not been thinking of ward mails from India, China, and Australia, heavy traffic; he had only contemplated the by the P. and O. Co.'s steamers will be put for- | carriage of silk and pearls. Silk, no doubt, is ward that time. The outward mail from Lon- the one article imported from India which by don will be despatched on Friday, as herecofore, possibility would bear the expense and inconbut the Southampton steamer will have to be venience of the proposed conveyance by land: despatched earlier. The overland route through | but "pearle" seem to show that some of those

Gulf is at least as hot as the Red Sea, and good authorities assert that it is much hotter. The parts of the new and old routes which

tinent in a sub-tropical latitude. During the

at a speed approaching that of the limited mail perionced fine weather all the passage; left to Aberdeen. We are not concerned to deny Marseilles on 15th October, Port Said on the the fact, but it is important to observe that 21st, Sucz on the 22nd, Adea on the 28th, this is the sole advantage claimable for the land | Galle on 8th November, Singapore on the 15th. route. The one question is, whether it is worth and Saigon on the 20th. the money it will cost. The catimates of na a precedent, were constructed in a country nion, can the most distant conjecture be formed in this port. as to what return, or whether any return, can be expected on the outlay. It is an axiom in at a great advantage) for the through traffic, current till arrival, and we are at a less to know whence the local traffic can arise. It is indeed faintly hinted that much of the route lies over a very rich soil, and if is asserted that the population at millions. But the millions are admitted to conof the most desolute and hopeless regions rich, but that they are the home of savage nomads. Still, if Parliament insists that the raised and no practical return for it is considered important, we have little doubt that there may be a Euphrates Valley railway, and the three weeks which it now takes to reach Bombay may, when the railroad is opened, the services of steamers organized, be reduced to encouraged to borrow the greatest part of it. they are Turkey and India, Turkey because no . human being knows how the interest on her Ings for probably remunerative undertakings are already perilous and excessive.

SINGAPORE. The Singapore Times of the 13th inst. given the following:---Considerable excitement occurred yesterday

afternoon, about four o'clock, at the Fish Market, owing to the police arresting a Chinese charged with the murder of a boatman during the late riots. The shops in the neighbourhood were closed, and a serious disturbance appeared imminent. An excited crowd gathered in the street and in the entrance of the market. and non-combatants took to their heels, but beyond a great deal of loud talk nothing happened. The police, who had succeeded in arresting the man they sought, returned and dispersed the crowd, ordering the shops to be again opened, and in half an hour all was quiet

In ondeavouring to effect a settlement of the late disturbance between the Hokien and Teo Chew Chinese, it was found necessary to call and order before anything effectual could be price \$640, donc. This fact is a strong argument in favour of the Dutob system of making the "headmen." responsible for the good behaviour of their peo-It shows conclusively that our Dutch friends have not imposed the system upon the Chiness, but have simply availed themselves of headmen, and it would be wise for our Government to follow the example of Netherlands India, and turn these beadmen to account. Of course, the only way to do this effectually is to allow the different tribes to choose their own heads, and to limit the jurisdiction of each headman to a certain district. The headman could sattle all petty disputes between men of their own clan, and it is only when the dispute is between men of two or more claus that any difficulty would arise; this, however, could usually easily be actiled by arbitration between the respective leaders. It is, we know, opposed to the natural prejudices of Englishmen to admit any other method of government, or any system of law save English law, in a place under English rule. But it has been shown that the thinese having already their headmen. whom they obey in spite of all the efforts of Government to make every man a free agent; and such being the case, it then becomes a vital question whether advantage should not be taken of this to make the people obey the laws of the land. The system of the punghulus was adopted for the Mulays, until they are longer almost unneeded; why abould not the Chinese be similarly ruled until they, too, would became more familiar with our laws, and would despise the authority of the very men they now choose for their leaders. Meantime, if we would rule them at all, we must do it after their own

SHIPPING INTELLIGENCE.

(Continued from the 1st Page.)

DEPARTURES. Nov. 25, Sunshing, str., for Amoy. Nov. 25, Adelheid, for Melbourne. Nov. 25, Pouliquen, for Saigon. Nov. 25, Singapore, for Saigon. Nov. 25, PARADIES, for Shanghai. Nov. 26, Donnar, str., for Shanghai. Nov. 26. Godavery, str., for Yokohama.

Nov. 27, Streng, for Whampoa. Nov. 26. Kvik, for Bangkok, Nov. 26, H.I.M.C. gun-ves. Peng-chao-hor for Canton.

CLEARANCES. AT THE HARBOUR MASTER'S OFFICE, 25TH NOVEMBER. Achilles, str., for Shanghai. Clementia, for Amov. Kvik, for Bangkok. Sirene, for Whampoa. Swordfish, for Bangkok.

PASSENGERS. Per Achilles, atr., from Liverpool, &c.,-For Hongkong.-Miss Rogers, Mrs. Eskben and child. Mesare. Kent, Messiter and Lewis and 55 Chinese.

For Shanghai.-Messrs, Smith, Canham and Mollengaar. Per Patino, str., from Manila,-Mesers, M. Real and Nuchi. Per Sun-foo, etr., from Salgon-290 Chinese.

Per Ollawa, str., from Yokobama,— For Hongkong.—Mesers. Smith, Cheshire, Thompson and child, and 9 Chinese deck. For Europe.—Mrs. Mitchell and infant, Mrs. Wetton and infant, Messes. Pasquale, Guttiano, Muzzochi and Vacetich. Per Auguste Reimers, from Newchwang, -

Per Bombay, str., from Shanghai,-Metta, and 2 Europeans second class, and 116

Chinese. Per Donnai, str., from Marseilles, &c.,-

For Hongkong. From Marseilles. -- Mesers, Puthon, Pio Ayl lon, Cardan, Estuch, H. Estuch, Mme. Azcona and Mine. Layer. From Singapore.—7 Chie nese. From Saigon.—Messre. Degenaer and Poirier and 50 Chinese,

For Shanghai. From Marseilles.—4 Sisters of St. Louis and St. Paul. From Singapore.—Mr. Biassonnet. From Saigon,—Mr. E. Gregoire.

For Yekohama, From Marseilles.-Mesere. Gerard, Verny De Montgoifier, Brahe, Georia and Bertrand.

The British steamship Achilles reports left Liverpool on 30th September, Malta on 18th October, Port Said on 19th October, Penang on 10th November, and Singapore on 14th Nov., ference to its pages enables a person who had in the Mediterranean, strong Westerly understands English to communicate effectively gales and heavy sea with very thick weather: from Singapore had strong N.E. monsoon and nese. In this respect the work will be found high sea to this port.

The British steamship Ottows reports left plains subjects fully, with which very few in-Yekohama on 19th November at daylight; deed of them are perfectly acquainted. To from Rock Island to Cape Chickakoff, bad parties resident in England and interested in strong N.E. monsoon and cloudy; from thence | China it cannot but be invaluable occasionally. to Turnabout Island light wind and fine weather] then to Hongkong had moderate monacon and quarto pages. hazy weather, attended with rain.; passed the P. M. S. S. Great Ropublic on Sunday, 19th, at 9.30 a.m., bound into Yokohama; passed a steamer, name unknown, off the Nine Pins, bound North,

seven days, provided that the trains can travel 1. The French ateamship Donnai reports ex-

outlay vary from ten millions to forty millions | The French bark Insulaire reports left Sai-"terling, but we have not the faintest confidence | gon on 31st October, bud fine weather and light part of them. No such under N.E. monsoon as far as the Paracels, after which taking as this railway has been carried through. strong monsoon and high sea till the 20th, The Indian railways, which have been talked of when it moderated, and continued so till arrival.

strongly governed, well ordered, and filled with | The Spanish steamship Patino reports left. a dense and industrious population; but every Manils on 18th November, had strong N.E. one of these conditions is wanting along the monsoon and heavy sea till day before arrival, line of the proposed railroad. Nor, in our opi- when it moderated, and kept so till anchoring MELBOURNE.

The British stenmalip Sun-foo reports left the railway world that long lines pay exclusive- Saigon on Friday, 17th November, had heavy ly from the local, and never from the through, N.E. gales from departure to lat. 16 N., with a OHEFOO traffic; but this longest of lines will have the current setting South 65 miles per day; SHANGHAI.....

CHOLERA AND COPPER. It is well known that during the epidemica of cholera which have occurred in this country, this part of the line amounts to nearly three Birmingham suffered little or nothing in comparison with other large towns. The cause of sist of nomad Arabs, and it seems to be forgetten this immunity from the disease was variously that the same assertion may be made of some accounted for. One of the most prevalent opinions was, that it depended mainly on the exin the earth, namely, that their soil is naturally tent of the working in copper carried on in the SILK MERCERS, TAILORS, & GENERAL town and neighbourhood. It would appear, nomads. Still, if Parliament insists that the observes the Medical Times and Gozette, from a line shall be constructed, if money enough is late publication of Dr. Burg's, that there is some ground for believing that opinion is the oorrect one. Dr. Burg, in revising the different statistics of deaths from cholern during its last outbreak in Paris in 1861 and 1865, finds that, MELTONS, BEAVERS, WITNEYS AND out of 26,332 artisans in brass and copper, there harbours made or enlarged, and necessary were only 16 deaths-viz., 6 per 1,000. In other statistics he find among 5,650 coppersmiths, n fortnight. How the money is likely to be founders of bronze, and manufacturers of bruss really raised we may possibly consider here- instruments, not a single death is recorded ofter. We will only say that, if there are two from cholera. In the Society of the "Bon Accountries which ought not to be compelled or cord." formed in Paris in 1819, and composed cord," formed in Paris in 1819, and composed only of workers in brouze, there has not been a single member attacked by cholera since the foundation of the Society; and we may add to leans is produced, India because her borrow. these curious and interesting facts that the city of Mio-Tinto, protected as it is by the eurrounding copper-mines, has never been visited by the epidemic, although it ravages all the surrounding provinces.

> The castle of Straeburg, says a correspondent of the Frankfort Gazette, had long been the residence of the bishops of Strasburg. The town presented it to the Emperor Napoleon III. Since the fall of the Empire, there was some uncertainty whether, relying on this gift, Napoleon would again lay claim to the castle, We learn from a sure source that he has just renounced it in favour of the town, and that the new library is established there at the present moment.

COMMERCIAL INTELLIGENCE. NOVEMBER 27TH, MORNING. The drug market has kept quiet, but steady for Bengal during the last two days, with sales of Patus at \$7124 to \$7174; Benares, \$710, on cash and oredit terms. Patna, on three weeks upon the headmen of the clams in each district, time to arrive, has changed hands at \$7174 and to obtain their influence on the side of law In Malwa nothing has been done, nominal cash

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844 tons Register, will load at this and Whampoa, and have immediate despatch. For Freight, apply to VOGEL, HAGEDORN & Co tf 1924 Hongkong, 8th November, 1871. FOR SAN FRANCISCO.

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FOR SAN FRANCISCO.

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Capt. Graham, having the greater portion of Immediate despatch for the above ports. For Freight or Passage, apply to ROZARIO & Co. tf 1627 Hongkong, 25th September, 1871,

FOR DUNEDIN. (NEW ZEALAND,) ANI MELBOURNE. THE A1 British Clipper barque "SEA GULL." Marshall, Master, having the greater portion

of her Cargo engaged, will meet with early

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THE A 1 British Ship

"EARLY MOBN." will load at Whampon as above, and have inmediate despatch For Freight, apply to RUSSELL & Co. tf 1785 Hongkong, 18th October, 1871.

炭 煤 記 榮 WING-KEE COAL SHOP. THE Proprietor of WING-KEE Shop begs to I inform the Public that his Shop has been established since 1855, at Endicott's Lane, and that he has always a great quantity of Best COAL in store for Sale. Gentlemen or Shipmasters wishing to patronise him, are requested to apply at his Shop. ly 699 Hongkong, 24th April 1871.

Mr. J. R. BLACK, Japan Gassite Office, Yoko- WHE undersigned begs to inform the Publi that he has all sorts of Old CIGARS and large boxes, best TOBACCO, and prepar. same day. ed TOBACCO for Sale at an agreeable prices. For particulars, apply to KWONG YUEN HING.

6m 1464 Hongkong, 29th August, 1871,

Next to the entrance of the Central Market.

No. 61, Queen's Road.

Intimations.

T is hereby notified that the interest, and connexion of Messrs. Lo. WING CHOON and Lo Ya Yow, with the undersigned firm ceased from the 1st of May, 1871, and that the undersigned will not hold himself RESPON. SIBLE for any debts, whatever contracted by the said Lo WING OHOON and Lo Yu Yow of the TYE SENG HOE. LO KEE SENG.

6m 1399 Singapore, 1st August, 1871. THE TOURIST'S GUIDE. REDUCED PRICE \$1. Containing the names of all the Articles of but they are more or less damaged by having Trude, objects of Natural History, Furniture, been under water for a few hours. They were forwarded by the Behar at 6 A.M. on the 8th Also a few copies of the GRAMMAR of the

Chinese Language, in two Parts. NOTICE.

following announcement:— Cotton Yarn Spinning Factory, at Chow Tow for Europe, &c., on WEDNESDAY, the 29th Teni, at Houam, Canton, has caused a great instant, at noon. deal of anxiety and danger to the people in the Money Orders on any of the Money Order neighbourhood, as sparks of fire which come Offices in the United Kingdom will be granted out from its furnace, are flying about both day until 5 r.m. on the 28th instant. and night over the tops of the neighbouring The Post-Office will be open until 7 P.M. on houses. Lately a spark fell on some bedding the 28th instant. which was put on the roof of the Yu Cheong Shop Letters, &c., may be posted during the night to be sun dried, and it took fire, but fortunately in the box left open for their reception. Hongkong, 21st November, 1871. [tf 2012] it was quickly suppressed. On one occasion, Letters for registration will be received until the timber of a house took fire from the spark, 10 A.M. on the 29th instant. and on another occasion, which was on the 2nd | Letters may be posted until 10 A.M. on the be transhipped at PORT SAID, for the house again caught fire from the same cause. Letters posted after 10 A.M. on the 29th principal PORTS in the MEDITERRA. Fortunately it was not midnight, so that the instant, will not be forwarded unless the flame was extinguished by the timely arrival of Late Fee of 18 conts each as well as the postage the fire engines belonging to this section of the is prepaid. city. Considering that this kind of danger | The Latest time for posting Letters at this would never come to an end, a public meeting Office is 11 A.M., and for Newspapers, Books, or was held in the temple next day, and to ensure Patterns 10 a.m. on the 29th instant. selety of lives and property, it was agreed that lord of the Factory, a resident of Ngow Chow from 11.30 A.M. to the time of sailing, on pay-Street, was present at the meeting, and it was ment of a Late Fee of 48 cents each in addition understood from him that he let the house to to the postage. the proprietors only as a private residence, and not as a spinning factory, as it was afterwards converted to be and in order to prevent the danger of fire, be said he wished now to discontinue the lease. Messre. Fong, Lo, Kwan, and other managers of the factory, promised at the meeting to stop the work, and to consult with Messrs. Cheong, Ng. Wong, and other shareholders about removing the business to another spot, or, as they promised, to stop the work altogether, with a view to ensure safety to all parties. According to the law of this Province all brick-kilms or furnices are required to be erected in isolated and lonely spots, with a view Hongkong and the French Post Office. to prevent danger, and ensure safety. With this law before us, it should be strictly obeyed. Moreover, the danger caused by the furnace of through France will, in future, be as follows, this spinning factory is greater than brick-kilm. viz.:-All of us are of the same country, possessing conscience, how is it that the public is thus involved in danger? If they do not remove, not only the people of Chow Tow Tsui, but those of the neighbouring streets are involved, and could not be out of danger. The proprietors lene, the Dardanelles, Gallipoli, Incholi, Keof the Factory are rich men, and should the building take fire the loss to them is inconsiderable, But it is very different with the 22 cents per 1 ounced other people : if their houses were burnt, their lives and property are at stake. But supposing the proprietors of the factory be willing to pay compensation for the loss of other people's pro- Rhenish Prussia, Bavaria, Wurtemburg, the perty, then both parties will suffer. The How Yik Hong Factory, it is understood, is insured against tire, so if it were destroyed, the proprietors will not suffer, as it is insured for an amount more than it is worth. If those houses in the neighbourhood are on fire the distress caused will be very difficult to fathom. The proprietors of the factory, if they possess ron-

> STEAM FOR SINGAPORE, PENANG, POINT DE GALLE, ADEN. SUEZ, MALTA; MARSEILLES, Beinsini, MEDITERRANEAN PORTS, AND

cionce, should order their managers to remove

the business to another spot for public safety.

of the city, will thank them for this great favor,

The above statement is submitted for the con-

sideration and judgment of the Public. [2034

SOUTHAMPTON: BOMBAY, MADRAS, AND CALCUTTA I NAVIGATION COMPANY'S Steamship per a onnce. "HINDOSTAN," Captain N. ROSKELL, with Her Majesty's Mails, Passengers, Specie, and Cargo, will leave this for the above places on WEDNESDAY, the 29th instant, at noon. Cargo will be received on board until noon

pecie and Parcels at the office until 2 p.m. of he 28th idem. For Particulars regarding Freight and Passage, apply at the P. & O. S. N. Co.'s Office Hongkong. CONTENTS AND VALUE OF PACKAGES ARE REQUIRED.

A Written Declaration of the Contents and Value of the Packages for the Overland Route is required by the Egyptian Government, and must be delivered by the Shippers to the Company's Agents, with the Bills of Lading or with Parcels; and the Company do not hold themselves responsible for any Detention or that, the Postage (which must be paid in ad-Prejudice which may happen from the incor. vanced) upon letters addressed to Prince Edvectness in such declaration.

The Company reserve the option of forward. | viz. :-ing all goods shipped by their Steamers for Europe through Egypt, either by rail, or by Canal in their own Steamers, or in vessels employed for the purpose. Shippers are particularly requested to note the terms and conditions of the Company's Black Bills of Lading.

Co.'s Office, Hongkong, 20th November, 1871. THROUGH U.S. MAIL LINE FROM

Peninsular and Oriental Steam Navigation

A. McIVER, Superintendent.

CHINA AND JAPAN TO NEW YORK PACIFIC MAIL S. S. COMPANY IN CONNECTION WITH THE her Cargo and Passengers engaged, will have | CENTRAL AND UNION PACIFIC RAILROAD COMPANIES.

> ITHE Steamship "AMERICA." will sleave The postage, which must be paid in advance A. Hongkong for San Francisco via Yokohama on TUESDAY, the 12th of December on each Newspaper or Price Current, and six next, at 3 o'clock P.M., taking Passengers, Mails | cents for each four ounces on Book Packets and and Freight, for the United States, Canada, Packets of Patterns, and such correspondence Central and South America, and Europe. A Steamer of the Company will leave Shang.

> bai, via the Inland Sea Ports, about same date, General Post Office, and make close connection at Yokobama. The "AMERICA" will be due at San Francisco January 16th, 1872, whence daily Passenger trains and daily Freight trains are . It is bereby notified that arrangements have ran over the Central and Union Pacific Rail | been completed under which correspondence road Lines for New York and for all the from Hongkong may be forwarded to Nagasaki principal cities in the interior and upon the via Shanghai, and to Hiogo via Yokohama, by Atlantic Senboard. The time between Sau United States' Mail Packets, and that Letters Francisco and New York by First-class Pas- for Hongkong and places beyond Hongkong, senger trains is six days and twenty bours : may be forwarded from Nagasaki and Hiogo and the distance 3,312 miles.

through on these trains, making Drawing Room Cars by day, and Sleeping Cars by night; and are of the latest and best American pattern, being unexcelled for comfort and convenience. At New York, Passengers have selection of various lines of Steamers to England, France and Germany.

Through Tickets and Bills of Lading are issued for transportation to Yokohama and other Japan Ports, and San Francisco, for the Overland Railroad, and to Europe by connecting Lines of Steamers: The Overland Railroad Companies Guarantee 12 days time for Silk and 18 days for Teas and General Merchandise. between San Francisco and New York. Favorable arrangements have been made for Through Passengers and Freight to America from Calcutta, Penang and Singapore, and

Return Passage Tickets issued at a reduction of 20% on regular rates. Value and weight of Parcel Packages required; all Packages should be marked to ad-

T. A. HARRIS.

No Freight received after moon of the 10th prox. No Parcel Packages received after 5 P.M. For further information as to Passage or other than Newspapers, as well as to Books Freight, apply at the Agency of the Company, and Trade Patterns or Samples.

Hongkong, November 11th, 1871,

from Swatow, Amoy and Foochow.

Post-Office Notifications.

A mail will close. For Manila. Per Tita, at 11.30 A.M. today, the 27th instant. For Shanghai - Per Achilles, at 3.30 P.M. to-For Swatow, Amoy, and Foochow.—Per

Douglas, at 11:30 A.M. to-morrow, the 28th

The Mails for Australia intended to have been forwarded from Point de Galle per Rangoon, wrecked off that Port, have all been saved;

F. W. MITCHELL,

Posimaster General. General Post Office. -Hongkong 25th November, 1871,

THE Residents of Chow Tow Tout make the MAILS BY THE "ENGLISH PACKET." The English Contract Packet "HINDOS-The establishment of the How Yik Hong, TAN," will be dispatched with the usual Mails

Late letters (but Letters only) addressed to the proprietors should be ordered to remove or the United Kingdom wit Brindisi, or to Sinstop the work altogether. Mr. Lee, the land- gapore, may be posted on board the Packet

> F. W. MITCHELL. Postmaster General.

General Post-Office. Hongkong, 20th November, 1871.

Arrangements having been made by the French Post Office for embarking and disembarking the British Overland Mails to and from France at Brindisi, thereby necessitating the payment by the French Post Office of a trunsit rate to the Italian Post Office, it has been determined to augment the rate of postage on letters exchanged in the direct Mails between

The rates of postage chargeable in Hongkong upon letters sent to France and countries To France, Algeria, the French Offices in Turkey (except Constantinople), and the Office at Tunis and Tangiers, 22 cents per 1 ounce.

rassun, Salonica, Samsoun, Sinope, Sulina, Trebizond, Tultche, Varna, Galatz, and Ibraila, To Spain and Gibraltar, 24 cents per 1 ounce. To the Grand Duchies of Luxemburgh and

and the residents of Honam, and this section 28 cents per 2 onnce. To Prussia (Rhenish Provinces excepted),

> To Denmark, the Papal States and Austria. | 32 cents per 🖠 ounce. To Moldavia, Wallachia, Turkey in Europe,

> Pre-payment is compulsory in the case of Letters for Spain, Gibraltar, Countries beyond Sea, Servia (Belgrade excepted), and Montenegro. Letters may be registered to all the above

F. W. MITCHELL

Postmaster-General, Hongkong, 18th February, 1871.

When forwarded via Brindisi.......... 42 cents each half-ounce. When forwarded vià

Southampton.....28 cents each balf-onnce F. W. MITCHELL, Postmaster General.

General Post Office. Hongkong, 28th July, 1870.

It is hereby notified that, pending the completion of negociations now being carried on with the Italian Post Office, under which it is proposed to establish a regular exchange of direct Muils between Hongkong and the Continent of Europe via Brindisi, Letters for the Continent forwarded by British Mail Packet, when specially addressed via Brindisi, will be sent in the Mails for the British Post Office at Alexandria, paid to that place only, whence they will be forwarded via Brindisi, as directed. is 12 cents per 4 ocuce on Letters, one penny

F. W. MITCHELL, Postmaster General.

is liable to a further charge on delivery.

Hongkong, 12th July, 1871. by means of the United States' Packets via The Silver Palace Sleeping Cars are run Shanghai and Yokohama respectively. The rates of postage chargeable on such correspondence is four cents for each half-ounce on Letters, two cents on each Newspaper, and

> Packets of Samples of Merchandize, in addition to the Rates specified in the Table of Rates of Postage at present in force. F. W. MITCHELL. Postmaster General. General Post Office,

two cents on each two ounces of Books and

Hongkong, 16th January, 1871. It is hereby notified that henceforward the rates of postage which must be paid in advance. chargeable on Packets of printed papers or patterns of light weight sent from Hongkong to the United Kingdom by the United States

Packets via San Francisco, will be as follows. For a packet not exceeding I ounce in weight..... 2 cents For a packet above 1 ounce not exceeding 2 ounces...... 4

For a packet above 2 ounces not exoceding 4 ounces...... 8 and eight cents for every additional four ounces. These rates apply to Printed Circulars, Price Lists, Market Reports, and all printed papers

F. W. MITCHELL, Postmoster General. General Post Office.

Hongkong, 12th April, 1870.

To Jaffa, Beyrouth, Tripoli (Syria), Latakia, Alexandretta, Messina, Rhodes, Smyrna, Mity-

Baden, Belgium, the Netherlands, Portugal, Principalities of Hohenzollern, Birkenfeld, Hesse-Homburg, Lippe, Schwartzlurg-Rudolstadt and Reuss, the Duchies of Nasmu, Saxe-Coburg-Gotha and Saxe-Meiningen-Hildburgbausen, Hesse-Electoral, Hesse-Darmstadt, the Duoby of Saxe-Weimar-Eisenach, the Free Cities of Frankfort-on-the-Maine, Hamburgh, Bremen, and Lubeck, Switzerland, and Italy, 26 cents per 1 ounce. To Countries beyond Sea without distinction.

Hanover, Saxony, the Grand Duchies of Mecklenburgh Schwerin and Mecklenburgh Strolitz, Duchy of Brunswick, Grand Duchy of Oldenburg (the Principality of Birkenfeld excepted), the Duchy of Anhalt, the Austrian Provinces, Belgrade, Servia (Belgrade excepted), Montenegro, Schleswig and Holstein, 30 cents per 1

THE PENINSULAR AND ORIENTAL STEAM Sweden, Norway, Poland, and Russia, 44 cents

places, except Spain, Portugal and Gibraliar, and the Austrian Provinces; the fee for registration is the same amount as the postage on each letter respectively. Newspapers and Prices Current cannot be

General Post Office It is hereby notified for general information

Marseilles......... 36 cents each half-ounce. When forwarded via

Extracts.

Merschebes Music-Master. (From Temple Bar.) It would be difficult to recognise in the busy river Aire, and capital of the West Riding of and watched and tended her, as if she were her Yorkshire, with its hundred thou and inhabitants, the Leeds of a bundred years ago. containing some sixteen thousand people. The Leeds citizens thought that a more beautiful towered above them, the bragge blew fresh in the spot could not be found. The Yorkshire hills valley, and many a one sighed as beturned his face homewards to the narrow streets, where even in the warm glowing summer days it was dark and gloomy. Those houses always looked gloomy, grey, and mouldy; the windows always carried a dejected air. Nob a morsel of green was to be seen at windows or on window sills. Indeed, on one ever thought of having plants or flowers in the dark rooms of those gloomy streets. The good people of Leeds were only too happy to be able to get a look at trees and flowers in the green valley of the Aire; or when by chance they had an opportunity of visiting the gardens of the nobility and gentry in the neighbour-

But there was one exception, for in one of those narrow streets, and in one of those gloomy. houses flowers were to be seen, on a very neat temporary window sill. There were pots of flourishing mignonette, resomary, and some very pretty evergreens. These flowers belonged to a foreigner who lodged there in the year 1758. Every morning his neighbours caw him bending over his dear flowers, tending them with gentle reverence. The young man -ne was the fashion of those days -wore his hair powdered and tied up behind. He had an intellectual brow, bright eyes, and a mouth speaking of genuine happiness; his tout ensemble was particularly pleasing and striking, and | bis color was bright as that of any Highlander. for some flower pots, and then she longed for a if 9701 but for the Leeds tolk he was "the band- spinct, and to have supple fingers to glide over By his neighbours he was called the "Foreignsome music-muster;" at least, his pupils had the keys; she wished for --- Well! she did not given him this flattering title. But his true care to tell all she wished for. One day as not an easy name for English lips, and they rushed out of hers, nearly upsetting him in her a musical composer in Hanover, he had come but I can go for one." "Then run, our little to London for the sake of increasing his masical knowledge. He had then been engaged by the Earl of Darlington to train the choir at Durham. When his engagement there ceased, he came to Leeds, highly recommended by the that town, as music-master, with the hope of handsome Miss Churchill was one of his and not exceed. 6 ,, 4 do. do. bereafter removing to Halifax, and becoming pupils, the young lady saw the "handsome ing organist of the church there, its organist being music-master" rush in like one frenzied to her chance of success, for its only music-master her hair, and then crept down to listen at her was aged, and becoming deafer every day, and father's door to the wild prayers of this love. more and more addicted to the snuff-box. There stricken Herschel. "Oh, it is poor little could be no doubt that the levely hands and Georgina Thornton, she has burst a blood-vesfingers of the fair young ladies of Leeds re- sel, she cannot live long, she is fast going to quired better supervision than their poor old ber mother. And it was for this that he was music-master could now give them, and they so excited, and in such a burry," she murmursoon took advantage of their opportunity. Indeed, they could not get a better master than the blue-eyed foreigner, who spoke such charming broken English. Never had there been heard in Leeds so many spinets, or so few false notes, as in the time of the foreign music-master. When Herschel played the organ in the great church in Leeds, the House of God was like a beautiful flower garden, so crowded was it with youth and beauty. Still, not withstanding this, Friedrich Wilhelm Herschel was only a poor music- he ever grained courage to offer any muster, for his music lessons were but poorly kindnesses to that blind man, he did paid. Everything was very expensive in Lecci, that he found himself one day before the man, and then he wore out so many pairs of shoes; and, high though his four-storied rooms were, the rent seemed-strange to say-still higher; indeed, the laughing rosy faces of his pupils were the brightest episodes in the foreigner's life. Day after day, from early morning until late at night, he worked and walked in the one grey coat; in summer's heat, in winter's cold. When it blew very hard, he took off his but and carried it under his arm, and went without bat or umbrella. But he was pleasant and kind with his pupils, and always looked a gentleman. The cold only made his cheeks glow brighter, and the hottest day improved his good looks. The young girls are very much interested in that young mun who is never seen at the tavern, and who always pays his tailor's bills. What can prevent the music-master, according to his wont, from sauntering by the deep draughts of this new, this delightful river's bank, and meeting friendly glances and knowledge; everything else was tame in comwinning smiles? Opposite Herschel's window parison with it. Busy restless life he could current rates. was another tall, narrow house, with just such another window as his own. Every afternoon | hours of true happiness. an old man, conducted by a girl, was led to a window, and placed in a chair by it: then the music-master, he was an astronomer, he felt music master could see his clear-out profile drawn towards the heavens, as it were, by golden and the strong lines round his mouth. The girl sut near the window, on a high chair; creation has such power to charm as these her figure seemed deformed-one shoulder higher than the other. You saw that she was young, by her brow and softly-rounded Every star in the firmament seemed to

cheeks; but Herschel had never yet seen a speak to our young astronomer in a language girl's face so pale, so grave. Her beautiful which poets and inspired astronomers alone can brown hair was braided in heavy plaits, but understand. They also spoke of peace, and not with the care with which maidons usually future glory. The star of Herschel was rising. arrange their tresses; she had no dear eyes to see it, no dear lips to say to ber; "How and grandour? pretty you are with your hair so beautifully arranged I" Sundays and week-days she wore masters," was soon verified in the case of the flower ever brightened her sombre toilette. began to neglect his pupils; he was no longer black, relieved by no collar, no cuffs; no fresh Horschel felt his heart ache for this girl, and satisfied with the reading hours which he dewhen she opened her window, longed to be able | voted to the blind man, but he spent days and to do so for be saw what hard work it was for parts of nights over the works of Ferguson, her poor delicate hands. When his own window Brabe, of Johann Kepler, the then modern auwas open he could hear her weak sad voice read. | thority on astronomy. Thornton bad given ing; and though he could not understand a him Kepler's De Motibus Stelle Martis; this word of what she said, yet at once he began to book Herschel alway carried about with him, think of an old forgotten song which he used to hear his grandmother sing long ago. Then the music-master used to seat himself before his spinet, and commence playing the old tune; care if he lost his pupils; with Kepler he for-but he soon forgothis old tune, and commenced got everything. How grateful he felt to the merry lively airs, which used to bring his poor schoolmaster, who had pointed to him the childhood vividly before him; he struck up way upward! How punctual he always was at some quadrilles and other dances, and Thornton's, and how he prolonged his reading very soon he found himself once more there! with his young eisters, their childish Poor little Georgina was down-stairs again. figures draped in scarlet cloaks, amongst and sat by the window in her chair, propped a group of lively young friends assembled at up with pillows. The day began now when his father's house-he the happiest and bright- they heard the young music master knock at est of all., Then Herschel came back to his their door, and all the sunshine disappeared as present life, closed the spinet, went to the his step descended the stairs. By degrees be

pleasure. Indeed, the prison-life of the little pretty, as she thus sat nestling in the great pale girl opposite became every day more and chair, which partially concented her deformed I Goods, Wares, Merchandise, Manufacture more a matter of surprise. She never went out; figure, her bright little head thrown out in re- ng and Farming Stock. Ships in Port, Harher window, no singing bird made her lonely. Georgina was indeed a sweet looking maiden also, Ships Building and Repairing; Barges life brighter. Still she did not look melancholy of seventern summers, a lovely flower; a trans- and other Vessels on Navigable Rivers and Port, are prepared to grant Policies against or morose—only grave; but so grave. Once he parent rosy tinge colored her checks, large ten. Canals, and Goods on board such Vessels. Fire to the extent of \$40,000, on Buildings, or or morose—only grave; our so grave. Once he der blue eyes gleamed out, and delicate lips throughout Great Britain and Ireland, and in on Goods stored therein. maidens, for sie bad done so one day, that he smiled gratefully. Of late, her beautiful hair Foreign Countries, rech Loss of Damage bad dared to give her a neighbourly salute, had been more carefully arranged, and By FIRE. How happy he would have been, if he had only she commenced wearing anowy collars and The Undersigned, Agents for the above Combeen permitted to give her one of his flowers! cuffs. Herschel was indeed surprised to see pany, are prepared to grant Policies against been permitted to give her one of his flowers! how nice the girl sometimes looked. She did FIRE to the extent of \$60,000 on any one First. had told him many curious things about not look the same girl who used to sit in Class Risk, his opposite neighbours. They were father that window long ago, but still it was only a and daughter. The man-George Thornton passing thoughts he could afford to give Geor--had been teacher of arithmetic and mathe. gine, all his thought, all his glances were tomatics in a boys school; but Thornton had wards the heavens, he had none for those on taken it into his foolish head to meddle with earth. things with which he had nothing to do-such as the stars! always looking up at them, until he forgot looking at the things around him. He neglected wife, child, and school, from which he had had a good salary. He had to be dismissed from his duties there with a small pension, on which with some tuitions in mathematics-which were his hobby-he had to manage as best be might. Thornton spent half the day making calculations? the other half he slept. During the night, he watched the sters from his miserable little garret, which be dignified with the name of " Observatory." "Thornton," the good woman went on to say, "had allowed his only child to fall from SAIL MAKING in all its branches, at his old a table, at a time when his wife lay ill, and the place in Duddell Street, and solicits the patronmaid had gone out for milk, leaving the little age of the Public. Georgina in her father's care. He was making some 'calculations,' as he calls them, so he seated her on his table, at which he was or Awnings.

working; he gave her a book to look at, but from the book fell a slip of paper with some 'calculations,' Alas! at once he became so abstracted that he remembered nothing, until he heard the child crying, and saw her lying on the floor, to which he had fallen. She had been deformed from that day, poor child! It is also told of the foolish creature that, when his poor wife was dying, they went up to his garret to tell him to come down, and that he cried out: 'Ob, can she not wait a moment, for Venus is just coming out?' But the poor woman could not wait; so when he did come down, instead of tightly clasped in the dead woman's arms." For eight days and nights he lived without Baiety Fuse.

his beloved calculations, but on the ninth be was at them again, staring at the stare. Georgina and the maid shared the house-keeping. the child worked at the needle, and tried to be as clever at it as she had seen her mother. The good Martha tried to be a mother to the girl, this pair, without sunshine but without storm. But dark clouds now came to Georgina, her father's eyes had been very weak, and after another year he became quite blind, and as George

After the first mouths of despair, Thornton fell into a hopeless dejection; it was then that poor Georgina thought of reading to her father. She took Newton's works, from which she had so often seen ber father read, and with a trembling voice commenced her task. She had her reward, for the first time since his terrible affliction, she saw a ray of happiness pass over that clouded face; and when she had finished she caw that her poor father was weeping-his heart was touched. From this day Georgina read every from four o'clock until Boven in the evening; the morning, she slways eat with her work in the little room adjoining ber father's bedroom, this was his time for sleep, and she sat there to

be within calling, if he required anything. During the nights the blind man still hannted his observatory, he paced up and down that poor little garret, and groped with trembling VERPOOL, or LONDON. hands amongst his instruments, and then the hot tears flowed over them; it was very hard current rates by STEAMERS and strictly to be patient. - Sometimes Thornton expressed | A 1 SAILING VESSELS: a wish to breathe the fresh air, and then Georgina guided his steps; and this was her life until she bad reached seventeen.

But since the young music-master had come to live opposite, all kinds of strange fancies had by BAIL, at one half per cent. not. come into her head, and she used to laugh with Martha over them. For instance, she wished one is ill; it is the reading, the reading. I

always said it would be so—she has broken a blood-vessel." The young man dashed off for Dr. Churchill, as fast as feet could carry him; the And Miss Churchill resolved to take no more lessons from her "handsome music-master." But even if all his pupils had followed Miss pared to accept Marine Risks and issue Policies Churchill's example, Hersohel would not have grieved; a complete change had come over his life; every day, Sunday and holiday, late and early, found him with the blind man, filling the daughter's place. How did it all come about? It was a dream for him. How had,

and that Georgina's father had pressed his hand and asked him to return. The reading at first did not go on very smoothly, English was a strange language for Herschel, and he could not even understand what he read for Thornton; but the things began to look better and grow brighter, and light streamed into Herschel's soul, and shone out through his eyes; it was like sunshine in spring. Herschel read to Thornton from Newton, and he himself seemed to enter a new world. The music-master had never heard of these things before, he longed to hear, to know more of this prepared to grant Insurances as follows:--wonderful science; he never tired now of talk. ing the system with Thornton. Was the young Policies at current rates, payable either here. German going to be bewitched too? He sat as in London, or at the principal Ports of India, it were at the feet of the master, and drank in China, and Australia.

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"handsome music-master," for he very quickly

window, and there perceived that the girl had had brought over all his flower-pots to the sick been listening to him; her white bands lay girl, and she tenderly charished and tended

folded on the large book, and her eyes were full them. He had also, with much trouble, proof sadness. "I am sure that poor girl has never | cured a bird for her, but he had no money to had a dance; " and Herschel, for very pity's procure a cage. Georgina's delight was great, sake, would have played all night long for her, when her lively companion grow friendly enough if by so doing, he could have given her any to perch on her finger. She, looking very

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Auction Sales To-day. MARQUES & Co.

Bernard (*) London Oct.

Willy Rickmers.....New York.....Oct.

Constantia......London......Oct, 19

Fort Regent London Oct. 20

Elizabeth Graham .. London Oct. 20

Centurion London Oct. 21

Celestial Queen......London......Oct. 23

Endeavour.....New York.....Oct. 30

Hector (s)......LendonNov. 7

Havilah New York Nov. 8
Midnight New York Nov. 9

Victoria Nyanza London Nov. 13

Jeannie Louttit New York Nov. 15

Ailsa.....Nov. 18

Crest of the Wave...London.......Nov. 21

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Sundry Articles. AYRES & Co. Sundry Articles.

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HONGKONG, WEUNESDAY, 27TH DECEMBER, 1871.

三 年禮 號七命月二十英 港香

Banks. LYONGKONG & SHANGHAI BANKING CORPORATION. SUBSCRIBEDCAPITAL 5,000,000 of Dollars.

Court of Directore: Chairman-Hon. R. ROWETT. Deputy Chairman-T. PYER, Esq. 5th, and Cape A. Joost, Beq. , Julius Menke, Esq. : S. D. Sassoon, Buq. al. - WM. Pus- Wm. Lomann, Egg. G. F. Weller, Req. H. Mclebors, Esq.

Managers;— Hongkong—James Greig, Esq., Chief Manager. Shanghai-David McLean, Esq. bondon Bankers—Landon and County Bank

HONGKONG. INTEREST ALLOWED. On Current Deposit Accounts at the rate of per cent. per annum on the daily balance.
On Fixed Deposits:-For 3 months 2 per cent. per annum.

LOCAL BILLS DISCOUNTED Credits-granted on approved Sconvities, and every description of Banking and Exchange ousiness transacted. Drafts-granted on London, and the chief

eather throughcommercial places in Europe, India, Australia, America, China and Japan. JAMES GREIG, Ohiof Manager, Offices of the Corporation, id strong N.E. No. 1, Queen's Road Fast,

tf 1062] Hongkong, 9th September, 1871, MERCHANTS' MARINE INSURANCE

COMPANY (LIMITED.) HEAD OFFICE-1, ROYAL EXCHANGE BUILDINGS, LONDON. CAPITAL, \$1,000,000 IN 100,000 SHARES

OF £10 EACH. FIRST ISSUE, 59,000 SHARRS, £2 PAID-UP. Directors. SETH A. APCAR, 74, Lancaster Gate (Director

of the National Bank of India), Firm, AP. CAR & Co. Calcutta. Ty winds to the Alexander Fairlie Cuningham (Director of the Credit Foncier of England, and of the Lordon, Chatham and Dover Railway, 6th in 20.08 S.; GEORGE HAY DONALD ON (Director of the Buglish, Scottish, and Australian Charter-

ed Bank); Firm, DONALDSON, LAMBERT & Co., Australia and New Zealand, WILLIAM DUNN, Lime Street Square, Firm of WILLIAM DUNN & Co., London, and of · Port Elizabeth and Natal. rienced strong P. Lutscher, late Pastre Brothers; Austin

Friars (Director of the Anglo-E yptian Banking Company. he French bark George Macnair, 44, Hamilton Terrace. East, then had WILLIAM THOMAS MARTIN, Great St. Helen's, late of the Firm of MARTIN, DYCE & Co.

> JOHN THOMPSON RENNIE, 123, Fenchurch street, and Aberdeen, Shipowner (Director of the Standard Bank of British South Samuel Saunders, late of Messrs. Briggs Co., Alexandria,

Bankere.THE NATIONAL BANK OF SCOTLAND, Nicholas Lane, London, and its Branches. Underwriter ... Secretary. John Joseph Tidd. JOSEPH ANGUS.

URING each year it is proposed to pay J the Shareholders, Half-yearly, upon their paid-up Capital, interest at the rate of 5 per cent. per annum; and, so soon as practicable after the expiration of each year, a Profit and Sept. 27 Loss Account will be made up, showing the results of the business, due provision being made for all outstanding risks. Out of the Profits will first be paid an addi

tional 5 per cent. on the paid-up Capital, making, with the interest to be paid, as explained above, 10 per cent. to the Shareholders. Before any further division of Profits takes place amongst the Shareholders, one-fourth, say 25 per cent, of the residue, will be rateably divided amongst those Insurers out of whose

business Profits have been made during the The undersigned, having been appointed ! Agents for the above Company at this Port.

GILMAN & Co., Agents. tf 2016 Hongkong, 20th November, 1871.

rent rates.

NOTICE. THE HONGRONG HOTEL COMPANY, LIMITED, baving leased the Hongkong Hotel to LEE AFONG from the let day of November. 1871, will not be RESPONSIBLE for any Contracts entered into by him, nor for any Goods supplied to him or his order.

Hy order. For the Hongkong Hotel Co., Limited, ED. BAKER. Becretary. tf 1879 Hongkong, 31st October, 1871.

FOR SALE. BROUGHAM, by Booker, with a move-A. able driving Seat, and HARNESS, Silver Mounted, nearly new. LANE, ORAWFORD & Co.

tf 1983 Hongkong, 16th November, 1871. FOR SALE, Expected to arrive shortly. A N Invoice of Weir's Sewing MACHINES, A at the low rate of \$18 each. Apply at. AYRES & CO.'S AUCTION ROOMS. 1m 2113 Hongkong, 8th December, 1871.

CALIFORNIA SEEDS. HE Subscriber offers for Sale a fine and full assortment of Seeds of CALIFORNIA TREES AND PLANTS. Also, a general assortment of VEGETABLE, FLOWER AND GRASS SEEDS, DUICH AND JAPAN BULBS. FLOWERING PLANTS,

SHRUBS, FRUIT TREES, &C. E. E. MOORE. At the OLD STAND. 425, Washington St., San Francisco, California, 2m 2097] new Catalogues ready. [Dec. 6]

J. DEFRIES GENERAL COMMISSION AGENT, 27, Wyndham Street. Hongkong, TAS received a very fine assortment, of JAPANESE GOODS of all descriptions, comprising fine inlaid Gold and best Lacquer WARE, guaranteed, suitable for OHRISTMAS PRESENTS, which can be viewed duily at the above address.

Sole Agent and Representative in Hongkong for Messrs. Kuhn & Co., Yokohama... 2w 2188 Hongkong, 20th December, 1871. MATHAMS BRANDY in I doz. cases. SHERRY . 3

PORT , 2 ... OLARET , 1 BIRLEY & Co. TO FLORISTS.

T ANE, CRAWFORD & Co. have for Sale Japanese Selected LILY BULBS, [Li. 19d 2141] lium Auratum). 10d 2194 Hongkong, 21st December, 1871.

FOR BALE. NTO. 2 OIGARS, Tandday's May 1871. Do. Do. Fortin's April 1871. Do. Tanduay's May 1871. REYNOLDS & Co. 16d 2150 Hongkong, 15th December, 1871. FOR SALE.

PHAETON, last American style, with A India Rubber Springs, complete. A pair of Java PONIES. An American BILLIARD TABLE, complete, with Cues, &c. Apply to LANE, CRAWFORD & Co. tf 1916 Hongkong, 7th November, 1871.

Docks. PORT OF AMOY.

CHIPOWNERS, AGENTS, and COM MANDERS are informed that the Door. Company's Establishments at the above Port afford every facility, at moderate charges, REPAIRING AND SPARRING VESSELS OLEANING AND PAINTING IRON

SHIPS AND STEAMERS.

THEIR LARGE GRANITE DOCK. Hus 286 feet length on the blocks, and average spring tides can receive Vessels of 16 17 feet draught. It has a CAISSON GATE, AND POWERFUL CENTELFUGAL STEAM-PUMP. And an Engineers work-shop fitted with Lathes and Tools, driven by steam. Iron and Brass Foundries, Boiler-makers shop, a large Smithy, SINTHE. and Carponters and Boat-builders sheds. All

superintended by resident Europeans. Their two smaller GRANITE DOCKS can receive, at spring tides, Vessels drawing 12 feet. Spars, Timber, and other Dock-yard material

Quarters for Officers, and a DRY GODOWN or STORES, of Vessels under repair. '+ 2817 Amor, December 1868:

kept in stock:

FOUCHOW DOOK. RIVER MIN.

THE above granite floored DOCK, of the following Dimensions, viz : Length, 300 leet, Breadth at Bottom, 40 feet, is capable of receiving Vessels drawing 13 to 16 feet, as the state of the Tides will allow. The Dook runs dry to the Blocks and is pumped out by Steam. The above premises comprise a large Machine-

Shop, containing a ... WITHWORTH'S 12-INCH SCREW CUTTING GAP LATHE. DRILLING AND SCREWING MACHINES, A LARGE SMITHY, &c., &c., &c. Large Godowns are on the premises for STOWAGE OF CARGO. &c., &c., A large Stock of Woods, Metal, &c., &c., always on hand The Dock Steam Tug Woosung is available at

all times to tow vessels to or from Sea, at cur-

rent rates, on application to J. S. LAMONT, Bur crintendont. The list of Charges for lighting or remetal- at the residence of H. Juronna, Esq., Peel ting vessels can be obtained from Messis. Norton, Lyall & Co., Hongkong. Messrs. Lane, Crawford & Co., Shanghai.

CHRISTMAS GOODS. OSE & Co. have received, per Mail Steamer

D. Orissa, the following Choice assortmentof GOODS, temperating: FRENCH MILLINERY and FLOWERS. FEATHERS and PLUMES. The new FLOWER, "Paris in Flames," " Paris in Ashes." Ladies SILK, BEAVER, FELT, VELVET and STRAW HATS, new designs.

Ladies' Paris RIDING HATS. Ladies' SILK and VELVET HATS, Seal The New SHAWL COSTUME, in GREY, BRONZE, BROWN and CLARET. Lyons and German VELVETS.

TERRY and TARTAN do. MARONE, SLATE, CERESE and BLACK LACE, MUSLIN, and CAMBRIC SETS.

Plain and Figured BRIDAL VEILS. Black, White and Brown E. S. Satin BOOTS Choice Christmas PRESENTS.

TOYS and GAMES.

ROSE & CO. Wellington Street and Queen's Road: tf 2098 Hongkon 2, 5th December, 1871. CHRISTMAS!-CHRISTMAS! CHRISTMAS!!!

A S the above Festival is approaching, the A. Undersigned beg to inform the commu-Shanghai, Foochow, Hankow, and Yokobama, nity of Hongkong that they are prepared to are preparted to accept Marine Risks at our- make CHRISTMAS CAKES of best quality. They have Cakes, each weighing from I lb. to 20 lbs., ready on hand, and oan make to order weighing from 1 lb. to 500 lbs. each, also mince pies and assorted pastries. Parties wishing for cakes of a large size are requested to give a few days' notice.

All orders shall be carefully and promptly room, and Bed-room SUITES, Glass, Crockery attended to. All articles from the Bakery are guaranteed RORS, LAMPS, BOOKS, Ac. of the finest and best qualities. D. NOWROJEE & Co.,

Opposite to the ORIENTAL BANK, Queen's Road. 1m 2080 Hongkong, 4th December, 1871. NOVELTIES FOR CHRISTMAS,

Ex P. M. S. S. " America." MALIFORNIA APPLES, in Boxes. POTATOES, in Boxes. ONIONS, GARLIO. WALNUTS,

CRANBERRIES, in Bul. PEACHES, in Tins. APPLES, ", ", PFARS. TRAWBERRIES, in Tine. QUINCES. BLACKBERRIES, ,, CHERRIES: APRICOTS.

GREEN GAGES LANE, CRAWFORD & Co. Hongkong, 6th December, 1871. CHRISTMAS,

YEAR, HONGKONG RACES.

J. C. KRUSE, QUEEN'S BOAD, No. 10, HONGKONG,

OLICITS inspection of a part of his goods just received per Mail and Soez Const Steamers, compraint an assortment of CA-CFAUSE for Ladies and Gentlemen. Berlin EMBROIDERIES of magnificient designs, concent. PHOTOGRAPHS, BOITES CARTONNAGE FANTAISIE filled with the choisest BON-BONS, Smoking CAPS, SCARFS, TIES, &c., ALBUMS, Christmas Tree CANDLES, Meerachaum PIPES, Opera GLASSES (Duchease), Spy GLASSES, BAROMETERS ANE. ROIDE, THERMOMETERS, Liquor STANDS, Walking STICKS, Electric BELLS, Alarm CLOCKS, Night CLOCKS, &c., &c.

11d 2181 Hongkong, 20th December, 1871. MRISTMAS G O O D S

HONGKONG DISPENSARY.

FOR SALE. 100 CASES, each 1 dozen Quarts, Fine Des-SANDER & Co.

55 Cases, each I dozen Quarts, Fine Pale Dry tf 2174 Hougkon . 19th December, 1871. FOR SALE.

SECOND HAND BILLIARD TABLE. by Thurston, all complete, with new Cloth. Price \$250. A Trap PONY and HARNESS.

DA SILVA & Co., Ground Floor HONGKONG HOTEL tf 2002. Hongkong, 20th November, 1871.

Auctions. WEEKLY SALE.

A A ARQUES & Co. will sell by Public Aug. THIS DAY. the 27th December, 1871, at noon, At their Sales Rooms, Queen's Road, (adjoining Mr. Driscoll's),—

100 Pieces BLANKETS. 25 Bage RAISINS. 15 Casks BEER, each 4 dozen. 11 Cases BUTTER, (each 2 dozen 3 lbs. 50 Dozen Jean, Maria Farrina's EAU DE COLOGNE

50 Pieces Travelling RUGS. 100 Table OLOTHS. 20 Dozen PORT WINE, 200 Cases Cases Yellow SOAP. Blook CLOTHS, GIN, CLARET, AB

A variety of other GOODS. TERM OF SALE. Cash before delivery in Mexican Dollars weighed at 7.1-7.

2218 Hongkong, 26th December, 1871. PUBLIC AUCTION.

A YRES & Co. will sell by Public Anction. THIS DAY. the 27th December, 1871, at their Sales Rooms, Queen's Road, at noon,-

400 Rolls assorted WALL PAPER 100 dozen SOCKS and STOCKINGS, 150 VICTORIA FIRE INSURANCE COMPAN dozen HANDKERCHIEFS, 30 pieces FLAN-NELS, 25 pieces TWEEDS, 20 pieces Black CLOTH, 20 pieces OHINTZ, 100 pieces 6 cases American TOBACCO, 20 Bbls. ALE, 50 chaes GIN. COMBS. CONCERTINAS. ALBUMS, DECANTERS, SPOONS, inst., both days inchisive.

OLOOKS, Pin KNIVFS, GLASSES, Lavender WATER, Note PAPER. (For account of the concerned), 18 cases Safety MATCHES, each 300 dozen. 16 , Tancy SOAPS, each 28 boxes. 30 . Palm Tree GIN.

114 boxes Yellow SOAP. TERMS OF SALE .- Cash before delivery in Mexican Dollars weighed at 7.1.7. 2224 Hongkong, 27th December, 1871. FURNITURE SALE

ANE, CRAWFORD & Co. have received instructions to sell by Public Auction,

TO MORROW. the 28th December, 1871, at 2 P.M.,-. The whole of the Handsome HOUSEHOLD FURNITURE, consisting of Daniask Covered CHAIRS, COUCHES, Marble-top TABLES, a very fine PIANO, made expressly for this climate, ENGRAVINGS, MIRROR ., CUR. TAINS, Teak Dining TABLE, CHAIRS, SIDEBOARD, WHATNOTS, CHANDE. LIER, WARDHOBES, Iron BEDSTEADS, Marble-top WASHSTANDS and SERVICES, Marble-top BUREAU, Glass and Crockery

WARE, Electro-plate WARE, &c., &c., &c. 2 Ladion Sedan OHAIRS. TERMS OF SALE.—Cash before delivery in 4 stranded ROPE, from 71-inches downwards. Mexican Dollars weighed at 7.1.7. All Lots. 3 with all faults and errors of description, at purchasers' rick on the fall of the hammer. 2202 Hongkong, 22nd December, 1871.

AUCTION OF JAPANESE WARE. TARQUES & Co. will sell by Public Augtion, in their Sales Room, Queen's Road, (adjoining Mr. Darscoln's) on

the 29th December, 1871, at 2 P.M.,-An Inoice JAPANESE GOODS, comprising Lacqueed CATRINES. Glove BOXES. Ten CADIES, Cigar CASES, FANS, Straw PUMP and Rigging LEATHER. CATOUETS, Fishing RODS.

CLOCKS, PICTURES, TOYS, &c., &c. TERMS OF SALE-Cash before delivery in Mexican Dollars weighed at 7.1.7. 2229 Hongkong, 27th December, 1871. PUBLIC AUCTION.

THE Undersigned bas received instructions L to sell by Public Auction, on SATURDAY

the 30th day of December, 1871, at No. 22, Corner of Peel and Gage Street, at noon. The property of a Gentleman leaving the The whole of his HOUSEHOLD FURNI. SOFT SOAP, for Engine purposes. TURE, comprising Drawing room, Diningand Plated WARE, ENGRAVINGS, MIR. Wire Tabe BRUSHES, assorted sizes. Catalogue will be issued, and the whole will be on view on and after Friday, the 29th inst. TERMS OF SALE-Cash before delivery in Mexican Dollars weighed at 7:1.7. All Lots, with all faults and errors of description what-

ever, at the purchasers' risk upon fall of the J. M. ARMSTRONG. . Auctioneer. 2227 Hongkong, 27th December, 1871....

WANTED. SITUATION in a Mercantile Office of Bank at any of the Ports of China, Shanghai or Yokobama preferable, by one who has great experience as a Book-keeper; writes a good band, and can undertake corresponding on bu-

Apply to E. V. C., care of the Editor of the Daily Press. tr 1708 Hongkong, 6th October, 1871. Tron SALE, by private contract, the Three first-class GODOWNS situate on Inland lot No. 73, apposite the premises formerly ocoupled by Messra. FLETCHER & Co.

For particulars, &c., apply to TURNER & Co. tf. 534 Hongkong, 29th March, 1871. HE interest and responsibility, of Mr. Ju-LIUS MENKE in our firm ceased on the Slat of December, 1870.

WM. PUSTAU & Co. Hongkerig and China, December 16th, 1871. Partnership of Hurchings And CAMPBELL has been dissolved by Mutual arrival at Amoy.

FRANCIS HUTCHINGS PATRICK CAMPBELL. 8m 2125 Swatow, 7th December, 1871; AAR. THOMAS PICKERING DROWN is IVI. a partner in my business from this day, which will in future be conducted under the

E. VINCENT. tf 1676 : Swatow, 2nd October, 1871. AR WILLIAM HENRY MOORE and ME. OTTO FEIEDRICH, bave this day been admitted partners in our firm.

Style or Firm of E. VINCENT & Co. States

tf 1258 Hongkong, 30th June, 1870. NOTICE. A.B. WILLIAM ABBOTT TURNBULI IVL is authorised to sign our firm from this BIRLEY, WORTHINGTON & Co.

tf 829 Shanghai, 1st May, 1871. THE interest and responsibility of Mr. J. A Kock in our firm, neased on the 28th of July by mutual consent, and we shall carry on our business, as hitherto, under the same style. J. SMITH & Co. tf 1410 Chefoo, 6th August, 1871.

mission Agents, will conduct their business des Douanes à leur arrivée à Amoy. ander the name and style of NORTON, LYALL & Co. EDWARD NORTON. ROBERT LYALL,

tf i Hongkong, let January, 1871.

in imations. THE HONGKONG AND OBINA GAS

COMPANY, LIMITED. THE Transfer Books of the Company will be CLOSED from the 16th to the 30th inst., both days included. A. NEWTON. 27d 2079 Hongkong, 4th December, 1871

NOTICE. THE CHINA FIRE INSURANCE COMPANY, LIMITED.

PHE Transfer Books of the Company will be ULOSED from the 16th to the 31st just, both days inclusive. • JAS. B. COUGHTRIE. Secretary 30d 2071 Hongkong, 1st December, 1871. THE HONGKONG FIRE INSURANCE COMPANY, LIMITED. NOTICE.

I'HE Transfer Books of the Company will be OLOSED from the 16th to the 31st inst., both days included. JARDINE, MATHESON & Co... General Managers. Hongkong Fire Insurance Company Limited. 1m 2062 Hongkong, 1st December, 1871.

OF HONGKONG, LIMITED. NOTICE: THE Transfer Books of this Company A be CLOSED from the 16th to the 31st

AUGUSTINE HEARD & Co. Secretarios. Im 2061 Hongkong, 1st December, 1871. NOTICE. VICTORIA FIRE INSURANCE COMPANY

OF HONGKONG, LIMITED. INROM this date, there will be no fee charged for Policies issued by this Company. AUGUSTINE HEARD & Co., Secretaries.

if 1877 Hongkong, 1st November, 1871. DRESDEN INSURANCE COMPANY FOR SEA, RIVER, AND LAND TRANSPORT.

CARLOWITZ & Co.,

-General Agents in China. 6m 2193 Hongkong, 15th December, 1871 FOR SALE, EX." NEW ARRIVALS." N INVOICE of first quality Hoth's

RUSSIAN ROPE, consisting of :-

BOLT ROPE, 1 , 51 RATTLINE-STUFF, HOUSE-LINE, MAR-CHINE, HAMBROLINE, 2 and 3 YARN

SPUNYARN. Best! English made White LINES, viz. : Hand Lead LINES, Signal HALYARDS, LOG-LINES, Fishing LINES.

Copper TACKS, Copper Boat NAILS and

BURRS. India Rubber PACKING.

Canvas HOSE. Brown Tarred SHEATHING FELT.

Peacock's Patent COMPOSITION:

Paint BRUSHES. White Brothers' hest Portland CEMENT.

KEROSINE OIL. At LAMMERT, ATKINSON & Co. tf 1169 Hongkong, 10th July, 1871.

OOAST OF CHINA. NOTICE TO MARINERS.

CHAPEL ISLAND LIGHTHOUSE. N the 15th instant, the Chapel Island Light was lighted. The apparatus is Dioptric, of the First Order, shewing all round the horizon a Fixed White Light, varied by Flashes at intervals of half a minute. The centre of the 17d 2130 Hongkong, 12th December, 1871, light is 227 feet above High Water, and in clear weather it will be visible 22 mutical miles. The lighthouse is 63 feet in height from base to vane. The tower is painted black, with the exception of the parapet, and window facings, which are of granite unpainted. The Light. keepere dwellings and surrounding wall are painted white. The light house is situated in

NASTERS of Vessels passing near the IVI island when bound into Amoy, are requested to note any Signals that may be made [3m 2164 to them from the Island, to render assistance if necessary and possible, and to report the THE following notification, is from the same to the Commissioner of Customs on their A. M. BISBEE.

Lat. 24 10 18" N., and Long. 118 18 30" E.

Dimisional Inspector. Ouston House, Harbour Muster's Office. Amoy, 16th November, 1871. COTES DE CHINE. PHARE DE CHAPEL ISLAND.

VIS est donné aux navigateurs qu'à partir du 15 courant le feu du phare de Chapel tervals d'une demie minute par des éclats de lumière. La bauteur du plun focal est de 227 portée est de 22 miles marins en temps clair. La tour a 63 piede anglais de hauteur de la base à la gironetta; elle est peinte en noir, à l'exception du parapet et de la façade desfenêtres qui sont de granit non peint. Les logements the latter for mooring des gardiens et les murs environnants sont peints en blanc. Le phare est situé par Lati-tude N. 24 10 18," et par Longitude E.

ES Capitaines de navires passant auprés de l'île se rendant à Amoy, sont priés de remarquer les signaux qu'on peut leur faire de THE Undersigned having this day entered Pile, de rendre tout secour necessaire et posinto partnership as Merchants and Com- sible, et d'en faire le rapport su Commissire Donanes d'Amoy, Bureau du Capitaine de Port,

16 Novembre, 1871. A. M. BISBEE, Inspecieur Divisionaire. intimations.

OFFICE OF THE CHINA TRADERS

INSURANCE COMPANY, LIMITED. NOTICE TO SHAREHOLDERS. Ordinary MEETING of the Share-holders of the above Company, will be held at the Head Office, Victoria, Hongkong, THIS

DAY, the 27th December, instant, at o'clock, P.M., for the purpose of receiving the Report of the Committee, together with a Statement of Accounts of Slat October, 1871. By order of the Committee, AUGUSTINE HEARD & Co.,

General Agents. 27d 2058 Hongkong, 27th December, 1871. OFFICE OF THE CHINA TRADERS INSURANCE COMPANY, LIMITED.

NOTICE is hereby given that the Register of Shares of the Company, will be closed from the 7th to the 27th day of December, proxima (both days inclusive) during which period no transfer of Shares will be registered. By order of the Committee. AUGUSTINE HEARD & Co.,

ir out there has General Agents. 27d 2059 Hongkong, 30th November, 1-71, THE INDO-CHINESE SUGAR COMPANY LIMITED.

NOTICE TO SHAREHOLDERS. CHAREHOLDERS are bereby notified that in accordance with the 36th Clause of the Articles of Association of the Company, the Fourth Call of Twelve Dollars and Fifty Cents per share is payable on the 31st December curreut, at the Hongkong and Shanghat Bank. ing Corporation and the Constant Interest at the rate of Twelve por cent, per

annum will be charged on all calls paid after that day. Transfer Books of the Company will be Captain Toppin, will have immediate despatch closed from the Fifteenth day of December to the First day of January, 1872, both days indusive. By order and the major and the con-A NOEL BLAKEMAN

Secretary. 2087 Hongkong, 5th December, 1871. NOTICE. the state of the s HONGKONG PIER AND, GODOWN

COMPANY, LIMITED. THE EXTRAORDINARY GENERAL MEETING of SHAREHOLDERS advertised THE undersigned baving been appointed for the 29th December, instant, for the purpose FIHE P. & O. S. N. Co.'s steamship General Agents in Ohina for the above of confirming any such Special Resolutions as Company, are prepared to accept risks and issue might be passed at the previous Meeting. olicics of Insurance at the current rates of STANDS ADJOURNED till 3 P.m. of FRI- will leave for the above place shortly after the DAY, the 5th January. 1872. N. B. DENNYS.

> 2160 Hongkong, 22nd December, 1871, 111. HONGKONG, CANTON, AND MACAC STEAMBOAT COMPANY, LIMITED. NOTICE. THE Transfer Books of Company will be

L CLOSED from the lat to the 15th day of January next, both days included. By order of the Board of Directors, AUGUSTINE HEARD & Co. General Agents. 24d 2210 Hongkong, 22nd December, 1871. HONGKONG CANTON AND MACAO STEAMBOAT COMPANY, LIMITED.

NOTICE TO SHAREHOLDERS. THE Ordinary Half-yearly MEETING of Shareholders in the Company will be held at the office of the Company, Victoria, Hongkong, on MONDAY, the 15th day of January next, at 3 c'olock in the afternoon, for the purpose of receiving the Report of the Directors, together with a Statement of Accounts, declaring a Dividend and electing Au-

ditors() to silvantis quality organization who By order of the Board of Directors, AUGUSTINE HEARD & Co. 24d 2211 Hongkong, 22nd December, 1871. THE HONGKONG PIER AND GODOWN

COMPANY, LIMITED. NOTICE. TIME THIRD CALL of TWENTY-FIXE DOLLARS per Share on the Shares of the above named Company, is payable on the Fifteenth day of January, 1872, at the Hong. kong and Shanghai Bunking Corporation, where Receipts will be granted for the same. Interest at the rate of (12) per centum per andum will be eberged on all Calls unpaid on

the 15th day of January, 1872. From N. B. DENNYS. Acting Secretary. 24d 22t3 Hongkong, 22nd December, 1871. HONGKONG AND CHINA GAS

COMPANY, LIMITED. TENDERS will be received until THURS. DAY, the 28th instant, for the purchase of the COKE made at this Company's Works, during a period of one year communing from the lat day of January next. tion at the Office. West Point.

Manager, North German Consulat this place, LONDON, AND PROYINGIAL MARINE INSURANCE COMPANY.

VIII Undersigned having been appointed Agents in Houghong for the above Company, are prepared to grant Marine risks at ourrent rates. AUGUSTINE HEARD & Co. tf 471 ... Hongkong, 6th. March, 1868... CHINA SUBMARINE TELEGRAPH COMPANY, LIMITED:

(Cable between Bingapore, Saigon, and Hongkong). Official Journal of Saigon, in reference to two bouys recently placed by the French (lovernment to mark the shore ends of the above

cable landed at Cape St. James.
J. W. FULLER. Manager. Singapore, 6th December, 1871. NOTICE TO MARINERS.

THE SUDMABLYS TELEGRAPH CARLE I landed at Cape St. James are now marked by two large buoys painted red with black stripes on the upper portion; they are moored on a North and South line. The South buoy is Island a see stabil. L'appareil est Dioptrique, placed at 8 cables length to the West of the de premier ordre et à feu blanc fixe varié à inextreme point of the Cape in about 6 futhoms water. The North bucy is on a line formed by the two points which mark the entrance to pieds anglais au dessus de la haute mer. Se Cocoa Nut Bay, and is situated at about 5 cables length from the bight of the Bay in about Stathoms water. Vessels must not anohor on or within this line neither to the East of the Buoys, nor use. Le Commandant de la Marine, (Signed) CH. BAEHME.

> JUST LANDED AND FOR SALE. DRIME WESTPHALIAN HAMS. L FRICKEL & Co. 1m 2108 Hongkong, 7th December, 1871. DENT & CO.'S ESTATE.

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LUSITANO THEATRE. Lesses and Manager....Mr. E. D. HATGARTH. Pianist.....Mr. A. SINGER.

SUCCESS MIKADO TROUPE JAPANESE PERFORMERS.

THIS (WEDNESDAY) EVENING, DECEMBER 27TH, 1871. MISS NELLIE HOSMER, N HER GREAT CHARACTER CHANGES

For further particulars see Programmes. PRICES OF ADMISSION. Balcony\$2.00

2230 Hongkong, 27th December, 1871. CHRISTMAS ENTERTAINMENT. MRAND BAL MASQUE LUSITANO THEATRE.

TO-MORROW (THURSDAY) EVENING. 28TH DECEMBER, 1871. PRICES OF ADMISSION. Boxes with 6 Seats....

Tickets may be obtained at the door of the Pheatre on the evening of the Ball. Doors open at 830 r.m 2219 Hongkong, 26th December, 1871. FOR SWATOW, AMOY, AND FOOUHOW.

THE Steamship "DOUGLAS," For Freight or Passage, apply to DOUGLAS LAPRAIK & Co. tf 2228 Hongkong, 27th December, 1871,

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"OTTAWA," will leave for the above place about 24 hours after the arrival of the next English Mail. A. McIVER, Superintendent. P. & O. S. N. Co.'s Office, Hongkong, 27th December, 1871. [tf 2220] STEAM TO YOKOHAMA.

" MADRAS." arrival of the next English Mail. A. MoIVER, Superintendent. Acting Becretary. P. & O. S. N. Co.'s Office, Hongkong, 27th December, 1871. [tf 2221 FOR CALLAO. THE A 1 American Barque

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4d 2225 Hongkong, 26th December, 1871. YANGTSZE INSURANCE ASSOCIATION OF SHANGHAI, NOTICE.

IT HIS Association has declared a Dividend to Policy holders for the fiscal year ending September 30th, 1871, of 15 per cent. on the net premium, payable at this Office, on and after January 1st, 1872. Policy holders are requested to send in parti-

culars of their contributions. RUSSELL & Co., 1m 2226 Hongkong, 27th December, 1871. YANG-TSZE INSUBANCE ASSOCIA-

TION OF SHANGHAI.

CAPITAL AND SURPLUS 750,000 TAELS. DOLICIES granted on Marine Risks to all parts of the World, at current rates. In addition to the usual Brokerage, this Association now returns to all policy holders One.

third of its yearly profits on Insurance business, divided profits to the net premium contributed. RUSSELL & Oo., tf 1089 Hongkong, 26th December, 1870. IN THE ESTATE OF HAGEN DA SILVA

CO. BANKRUPTS. NOTICE is bereby given that, at a Meeting LY of the creditors of the above estate held at the North German Consulate on Thursday. Particulars can be accertained on applica, the 30th November, 1871, the accounts of the counts, were examined and a final dividend of The right of rejecting any or every tender | 5.125 per cent, declared. Creditors of the above estate can receive

their dividends by making application to the

(Signed) A. R. HEWLETT, Acting North German Consult N. G. Consulate. , Takow, let December, 1871. A LL Claims against the British abip City of Aberdeen must be sent in to the office of the undersigned on or before the 27th inst. or they will not be recognized.

GIBB, LIVINGSTON & Co.,

3d 2215 Hongkong, 23rd December, 1871. WANTED GOOD RETRIEVER DOG. Apply to H. RAMSAY, 🗝 care of Mesara. Gilman & Co. 1w 2216 Hongkong, 26th December, 1871. NOTICE

ANTED.—A Portuguese Clerk. Address VV A. B., office of this paper. tf 2217 : Hongkong, 26th December, 1871. FOR SALE OO CASES CHAMPAGNE, L. Avezer &

La Fils. 20 Cases CLARET, St. Emilion. COGNAC.

ABSINTHE.

MARESCHINO. HESSE & Co. 1m 2207 Hongkong, 23rd December, 1871, FOR SALE. PAIR of Handsome Black Rangoon PONIES, and a 4-wheeled CARRIAGE, with Harness, &c., all in good order. LANE, CRAWFORD & Co.

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Im 2110 Hongkong, 8th December, 1871, FOR SALE. BASKET CARRIAGE and Brown PONY, with Electro-plated Harness. LANE, CRAWFORD & Ce. 1m 2758 Hongkong, 16th December, 1871.

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NOTICE.

8d 2178 Hongkong, 20th December, 1571.

The Chronicle and Directory for 1873.

TIME Publisher requests that those perdone who have not yet returned the printed forms which have been sent to them to fill up, will be good enough to do so without delay. Any persons who have recently arrived, and to whom printed forms have not been ment, are respectfully requested to forward their names and addresses as early as possible for insertion. Daily Press Office, Dec. 1st, 1871.

of a systematic underhand persecution. The

troubles on the shoulders of others. Every-

body who has the slightest acquaintance with

Chinaisaware of the unjust, exacting and cor-

rupt manner in which the mandarins rule the

people, how they shelter the rich and oppress

persecute the Christians not on account

ness to testify before a Magistrate

merchant can claim of attending to witness

brought against him? Shall the Missiona-

hear the trial of one who might chance to be

his friend? Of course the Mandarins do not

at all like to have a European witnessing the

unjust and cruel acts which they do publicly

in their Courts, nor are they pleased to hear

a good defence made by either the missionary

or the Christian Chinaman, who having been

taught how to reason is well able to renel

the false accusations brought against him in

a shrewd and artful way. If the Chinese

Government really wishes to promote har-

mony between the European and Chinese

same footing as Europe with regard to the

adminstration of justice, and harmony and

peace will then reign in the country as in the

European States. The Catholic Missiona-

ries do not pretend by any means to arro-

gate to themselves any authority with regard

to the civil power. The only title they

heads of the Christian religion, which is the

translation in Chinese of the word "Bishop."

The Catholic Bishops in China assume au.

thority only in their churches, and they

are respected by the Christians, because they

are the heads of their Church. We do not

know of any one of them who has adopted

the title of Mandarin or anything of the

kind, except two or three who have been

thus favoured by the Chinese Government

on account of great services rendered by

to-morrow,) "relief given," (by means of a

Canton.) "The Prince and the members of

the Yamen are impressed with the desire"

lest after the arrangement of the Tientsin

tualities" (it was plotted by them!)

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The delivery of the Daily Press from this office commenced on Tuesday morning at 10.00, and the last inessengers left the office at 10.20.

Maily

Honekong, December 27th, 1871.

Ir is satisfactory to learn on the authority them in the time of the invasion of the rebels of Chief-Justice Small that there are no or of the Mahomedans. Indeed the Catholic arrears of business in the Supreme Court. Missionaries are proud of having always wood Road. The announcement is calculated to relieve sided with the Central Government against the public mind, but at the same time the the rebels, and when Admiral Hope returned public mind will consider a few facts which from his successful expedition against the tend to detract from the value of the an- robels, he openly confessed that he was refusal of duty, the coolies wishing to maintain "death from natural causes" was returned. There can be no doubt that in | entirely indebted to the kindness and assisthe sense in which the Chief-Justice used the tance of the Catholic I scionaries for that expression, and in which he intended it to be success. It is therefore but black perfidy on understood, it is for all practical purposes | the part of the Chinese Government to assert true. It cannot be denied that there are at | as they do in the Circular that the Catholic Missionaries have received into their Church the present moment, with perhaps a solitary exception, no cases ripe for the decision of some who were formerly known as rebels. Would the Chinese Government pretend to the Court and still undecided. That is, as we have said, to some extent satisfactory. The Chief-Justice in making this statement clearthere not in the service of the Chinese Goly meant to show that any responsibility vernment at the massacre of Tientsin a Genefor delays in connection with Supreme Court business rested not with the Court but with | ral who had fought for several years against the nature of the business. To a certain them? Did he not receive the highest honextent their may be true enough, though it ours at Peking when he arrived there from is easier to ask why Supreme Court business | Tientsin stained with the blood of Europeans i should from its nature occupy so long a time, But after all, if any one wishes to know than to find a satisfactory answer to that en- the reason why the Chinese Government fendant not having the money, went to 7 days' quiry. But apart from the hideous length to heap these calumnious charges upon the which the actual business in Chambers and Catholic Missionaries, the Chinese Despatch in Court frequently drags itself, apart from shows it plainly enough. After all their the miserable suspense in which suitors are lamentations they say: "Is not such a state of kept by declarations, pleas, replications, things of a nature to occasion a lively feeling demurrers, arguments on demurrer, special of irritation, and as a result grave disorders?" cases, and joining of issue, even if there be And soon after this they add: "The Prince not after all this a rule to enter the verdict and the members of the Yamen, during the for the other side, a rule for a new trial, and ten years in which they have been at the a motion in arrest of judgment; apart, we | head of affairs, have been a prey to incessant say, from all this which looks very much like anxiety. These precautions have been justiwaste of time, but which, legally, is not, there | fled by the events of Tientsin, the suddeness of can perhaps scarcely be a sound reason for which was overwhelming." (?) Who does not the extremely long deliberation which is see the end at which the long Jeremia clamentusually indulged in by the Chief-Justice be. ation was to arrive? They want to justify On the 24th December he was at dinner with fore he delivers judgment. Of course no one what cannot be justified, the massacre of wishes a judge to decide a difficult case off. Tientsin-or at least divert the attention of the queue. From what the servant said the hand, though there are probably many cases | Europeans to some other point—if it is not | defendant was given into custody. On the 11th which to a lawyer would be as easy to pro- a base piece of revenge on the Missionaries. nonnce upon at once as after a year's who have loudly proclaimed the iniquity of the thought. No one, however, wishes to "flur- massacre and nobly declined to accept the ry" a judge, whose duties are doubtless at | money-the price of the blood of their brethern | bave been either opened with a false key, or times onerous and difficult; but all things | -- which had been already accepted by the time to consider the bearings of arguments female, who having been repreached by some and authorities, and quite another to delay the one for her misconduct goes into the streets public business for months because the na- of Hongkong heaping accusations on the ness and had been so about a month. He Deacon and Mr. C. S. Sherwood have audited to decide upon its merits. In the majority Chinese Government, unable to vindicate taken from his chest, and his master at first rectly the day after an argument, if he has gives vent to its anger by publicly injuring the 24th instant, he was waiting at table, time for deliberation in the interval, as he the Catholic Missionaries. The Chinese ter's room. He looked in at the door terminated, and after carrying forward will after six months' consideration, during Government are ill at ease on account of the and saw the defendant in the room. which he has been busy with a vast amount little they have done in reparation of a great were two cheets in the room, one containing of other work. If he is wrong to-morrow he misdeed, and are afraid that Europeans will the defendant looking into the dollar chest, apis as likely to be wrong six months hence, not be satisfied. They know they have perently searching for something. He shut and six months could be saved to the parties, wounded to the heart all the Chinese who are nearly always deeply interested in Christians by barbarously murdering their the speedy decision of matters at issue. Fathers and their good Sisters of Charity, doing there, and defendant said he wanted some Lord Campbell, probably one of the best and they cannot conceal their fear that the wire. Witness had seen defendant upstairs beauthorities on such a point, was strongly | Christians will not be satisfied. The Desagainst judges unnecessarily reserving and patch goes on to say: "The proceedings reconsidering cases after they had been the lagainst the functionaries compromised instant at 7. p.m. he was at West Point Staroughly presented to them in Court, and if have been begun," (but they will never tion. The complainant came to the station, we may conclude from this that, "in an or- finish), "the murderers," (not the true, but The defendant was given into his custody. He dinary way, that course does not very greatly | the false who have offered themselves to die facilitate arriving at a true solution of the for money), "have suffered capital punishmatters at issue, a habit of very often post- ment; an indenmity has been paid," (and They were again proceeding when he saw the

THE CHINESE DESPATCH. (Communicated.)

certainly to be deprecated.

(Continued from Saturday) The second charge is one of the most hypocritical acts of the Chinese Government. After having solemnly promised in the treaty that the Christians should be left unmolested. and should be free to adopt the Catholic affair," (which has been by no means ratis-

Religion, there is not a Province in China factory), "the animosity of the ignorant where the converts have not been harrassed. Christians of the Empire should take a more not by the people, who are either favourable decided tone of insolent bluster." And or indifferent to Christianity, but by the caste | therefore they accuse the Missionaries and of the literati under the very eyes of the vilify them before the public, lest they should Mandarins, who wink at their illegal doings be heard when they speak the truth.

if they are not indeed the actual promoters The Band of the 10th Regiment will perform n the Public Gardens to-day. The following Chinese Government is extremely adroit in is the programme: laying the blame of its faults and of these

Selection ... Lucia di Lammermoor Donizetti. Hydrapaten Gung Cavitana Nebuchadnezzar Verdi. Polka Berlina Michaelia

The new attraction to the Lusitano Theatre the poor, and how they lay a long chain of had the excellent effect of filling the house last night, a result which was scarcely surprising to the 28th instant; intrigues to secure the expulsion of foreigners. when, superadded to the charm of Miss Nellie The Uhinese Secret Societies are all against Hosmer's singing, the public were promised the performances of another Japanese Troupe. foreigners and everything foreign, and they Of these one can scarcely speak in too high terms. In no way inferior in some particulars to their religion itself—as they are indifferent | the last troupe which visited Hongkong, they performed even more successfully in others, the to all religion—but because that religion has surprising climb of "Little All-right" bringing been brought to China by Europeans. The down thundering appliance from all parts of the Christians being always thus unjustly treated theatre. Madame Ottoe, who performs the Butterfly Trick, does it with consummate skill, and by the Mandarins, will the Chinese Governconcludes by bringing out of an empty box somement hold that the Missionaries should be thing like the stock-in-trade of an umbrellasilent witnesses of the almost daily violation shop. Syonara's stroll from end to end of a nice of treaties? Would the Chinese Governlittle sheet of paper hanging over the stage ment pretend that a Missionary should seemed to give him very little anxiety, inclusive never be allowed even to appear as a wit- inevitable long before the right moment for in In fact the whole entertainment was such as only Japanese troppes can furnish—audacious cases of outrage upon chapels; chapel keepers, and successful throughout. Miss Hosmer's native preachers or converts, when they favourite songs formed a pleasing interlude, and have taken pains to investigate the facts? Mr. Singer filled in the piano-forte part with his well-known tact and taste Shall they be denied the privilege which the

A preliminary meeting of the members of the examination of his servant if a charge is the Commission appointed to enquire into the state of the Police Force took place yesterday at the office of the Acting Attorney-General. It ries be refused even the right of a street | has been decided not to publish the proceedings | ing she could not recollect the appearance of beggar to stand in the Court of a Yamen to until the investigation has been completed, as the informer, and she was not sure that he was it is considered that this would involve the there, but two or three men were there. publication of partial statements, in which the reputations, if not the characters, of individuals might be concerned, and which it would not be correct to publish until the full particulars, one part of which might explain the other, can be obtained. We understand that the business yesterday was of a merely formal nature. There will to sampans from the junk, and he prevented the be a vast amount of evidence, documentary and other, to go through, and the proceedings the Hop-lee junk. He ran aft and saw two may probably extend over one or two months. The Commission, as mentioned by our contem. those men. He saw the twelfth prisoner come porary, consists of the Hon. T. C. Hayllar, Hon. W. Keswick, Mesers. F. W. Mitchell, F. Stewart, H. Lowcock, W. Lemanu and G. Falconer, and Mr. A. Lister is to act as Secretary. authorities, let it first pursue justice, and The selection is in every way satisfactory; and, though we should of course prefer to the one. He also found another musket (one of appoint just men, if it can, to rule the Chi- give an account of the proceedings from day those produced), loaded and capped. It was benose people. Let China be placed on the to day, we cannot deny the cogency of the low where the men were. He handed the musreason for refraining from opening the doors kets to a boatman. to the public until the investigation is ended.

LATE TELEGRAMS.

SUPPLIED TO THE "DAILY PRESS."

REUTER'S TELEGRAMS.

London, 23rd December, 1871 In the Dutch Chambers the Colonial Budget has passed. The Minister denuunces the con signation system. It is stated that the Colonial receipts exceed the estimate by thirteen mil-

POLICE INTELLIGENCE.

millions to redemption debit.

BEFORE C. MAY, Esq.

Chun-a-sing, cook memployed and an had He died at 11 am. of the 25th.

or three days imprisonment

CHRISTMAS SPORTS. Three Russian seamen, belonging to the Rusof the Prays in a drunken state, and throwing resumed at the Magistracy at 4 p.m. opinions and reforming his habits? Was them fell into the sea. First and second de- quired from the midwives, but had not ascerfundants were fined \$1 each, and the third 50 tained anything.

> tore a dress off one of the inmates. Fined \$2, half an hour to get to the Hospital. and ordered to pay \$1 amends to the girl.

HAWKING UNFIT FOOD. Tam-a-ting, a hawker, was fined \$2, for hawk. Livingston, from which it appeared that the ing entrails, &c., not fit for human use. De coolie had occupied fully an hour. imprisonment with hard labor.

PREITY COOL opportunity of going in aship named the Sumatra, which sailed on the 24th, He was shipped and refused to go, and then had the assurance to go to the house of the parties who procured the ship for him, and demand from the cook

his tiffin. The cook refused, and defendant struck him: Fourteen days' imprisonment. LARCENY BY AN EX-BOY. Chew-a-kum, a servant, was charged under l the following circumstances:

Archibald Tate, stated he was an engineer

in the P. & O. Co.'s service, and resided at the Factory. The defendant was in bis service as boy for 15 months, during which term he several times went to sea. He discharged him for disobedience to orders about the 22nd Nov. some fr ends, when his present servant brought he defendant into the room holding him December or about that time, complainant missed \$25 from his chest, and again on the 14th of December he missed \$5 from his chest. The chest was usually kept-locked, so that it must business in his room or on the premises. After-

open his chest with that key. 15th December, respecting money having been selection for the ensuing year. clothes; the other having money in it. He saw the hid without taking tanything out and was turning towards the other chest when wilness went into the room, and asked him what he was

fore, and told him that he had no business Tam-koon-wab, P.C. 259, said that on the 24th was taking him along the road to the station when defendant twice asked him to let him loosen the string of his leggings. He did so. poning matters and reserving decisions is thus China is ready to do the same thing defendant make a motion with his hand, and heard something like money fall on the road He saw no person near nor was there any win-European Custom house at Shanghai and dow open, and he, therefore, judged that defend ant had thrown something away. He asked said nothing: He obtained a lantern from a past stone, who wishes to know whether they would unable to deliver, he should be deprided of his propose. (indeed !) "to ward off from henceforth even- ser-by and looked round on the ground. He prefer a statutory or a Royal commission for commission on a sale effected. menacing." In fact they fear in all sincerity ant and open it.

Sent to six months hard labor.

STRALING COALS. Alli, a watchman at the P & O. godowns, stated that yesterday morning at 8.30he found the defendant Ohun kunnsing, a coolie, coming out of No. 7 shed with a bug of coals. He turned towards the Queen's Road, and pursued and caught bim with the coals. There are

about 50 ontties of them. There was no work

BEFORE J. RUSSELL ESQ.

going on yesterday. Sent to three months' bard labor. EMBEZZLEMENT: Wong-a-hong was charged by the Compra-

dore of Messre, A. G. Hogg & Co, with embezzling the sum of \$332. He had made the usual excuse, that he had been induced to take the money to gamble. The cuse was remanded

THE SHOWKEWAN CASE. This case came on again before Mr. d Lo-a-yan stated she was the inmate of a brothel called the "Sing-Foo Tong" in Showkevan

There were only two brothele in the place. There were six girls in the brothel Sing-Foo-Tong. She remembered the 14th instant. Sho saw the third and fourth defendants in the brothel that day; she also saw the informer and two or three men there. They were in her room for something less than an boar. They smoked and had tea. She could not say what they talked about. The third and fourth defendants and the informer had not been at the others in gaol. She had picked out the inperson who had been in the brothel. She believed they went away about 12 o'clock.

same brothel as last witness : she remembered went. She saw the informer in the last witness's room. Witness here corrected herself by say-Thomas Campbell, Police Corporal stated that on the evening of the 15th inst., he was at Showkewan with Inspectors Cradock and

Burns : he was ordered to go to a junk pointed out in the Showkewan barbor. He went with P.C. Elverson. He heard some people builing sampans going to the junk. He went on board men jump overboard. He did not identify up from a kind of mat house with a musket in his hand. It was loaded and capped. He shoved | weapon in the position of charge. Witness could not say which of the muskets produced was

Further remanded to the 2nd January, 1872

INQUESTS.

An inquest was held at the Victoria Gool yestorday at 3 p.m., before A. Lister Esq., Coroner, on the body of a Chinese prisoner named Ho-amang, who died from exhaustion brought on by prepared to give the steamers room, if the her, let it remain as it was, or add Tls. 20 for Chamber with copies of correspondence be-The jury consisted of Mesers. A. Goodwin,

P. R. Doral, and J. E. Obodaya. Mr. F. Douglas, Superintendent of the gaol identified the body as that of a prisoner named Ho-a-mang, who had been sentenced for larceny lions. A bill has been submitted to apply ten and unlawful possesion. Witness stated that deceased was well treated in the gaol, He sometimes picked cakum, but was constantly

mick. He died on the 25th instant. Dr. Dodds, acting Colonial Surgeon, stated the deceased had often been before him suffer ing from diarrhea. The attacks increased till be admitted him into Hospital. The diarributa still continued he was well taken care of and died from exhaustion caused by the diarrhost.

bitual street gambler, was sent to 21 days' im- A prisoner, nurse to the Hospital, who stated prisonment with hard labor, for having been that he was given to understand he might obtain caught indulging his infirmity in the Holly-some remission of sentence through his good conduct said that deceased had been in hospital ENCOURAGEMENT FOR LOSING TIME AT THE over a month. He was ordered soup, milk, and and put down by people as they liked, to the gested in the 5th proposal in the Circular at. the 30th May, the minutes of which appeared Port wine. He had these things and his Dr. Adams, Surgeon of the Scamen's Hospital, medicine regularly, but did not get better, and appeared to charge his chair coolies with a died on the morning of the 25th. A verdict of wharf, two large buoys were moored 250 feet for the 6 months ending 30th June 1872.

than their master. They were fined 31 each, moned on the jury, was fined \$10 for not being

The adjourned inquest on the body of the sian Corvette, were charged with taking charge child found near the Taipingshau market was stones at all passers by. The water police who | Chun-a-kum stated he was the constable who | moorings and fixing buoys required to be done observed them, came on shore to put down the saw the body. He had been making inquiries very carefully. Once down they were so much proposal was a very important one. At present collection of Tournage Dues were submitted to disturbance, and were set upon by the seamen, about Taipingshan, but could not find out who who swung their knives round. In the confusion | placed the child there, nor had be obtained any deny to any man the right of changing his resulting from capturing these seamen, one of clue as to who is the mother. He had in-

Chun-a-sam, a street coolie, stated that he carried the child to the Civil Hospital. An In-Thomas Thompson, a seaman, unemployed, dian constable in Court went with them. They went into a brothel in a drunken state, and had the child in a basket and it occupied them This was shown to be an untruth by the watch of Dr. Young, and also that of Inspector

The constable in charge of the coolie stated he could not get him along, and he also was kept minutes at the Hospital Gate, the Porter re-Jacob Rawlings, a destitute seaman, had the fusing to grant admittance till the Doctor had been consulted.

The foremen of the jury considered that the fault of the delay was on the side of the coolie, and asked if the man could not be punished Mr. Lister, however, thought it was the constable's fault, and stated that he would address Captain Deane on the subject. The jury then returned a verdict of wilful murder against some person or persons un-

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dinary Meeting of Shareholders, to be held at and that they rather protected the small craft and Reuter the same goods at 8s. Od.; while property in anticipated danger. The above the Office of the Compay at Hongkong, on from the swell caused by steamers. At the perviously they had Sa. 13d. in the Chamber's was published in the North China Herald of December 27th, 1871, at 3 o'clock, p.m. The Committee have now the pleasure of considered. There was no necessity, now, fact they wanted an extra message as a check. A Resolution was passed at the Annual waiting upon the Shareholders with a Report | though there might have been so formerly, for Further, he thought the Chamber's telegram | Meeting of 1870, on the subject of the Woosung of the working of the Company during the past twelve months.

The amount of Premis collected in Hongcong and China, between the 1st of November 1970, and the 31st October 1871, and the amount with some instrument. The defendant had no period, of which the General Agents have reshould be in reason. It is one thing to take French Charge d'Affaires. Like a Chinese wards Sergeant Williams said something to bonus and commissions, and adding interest, of the Harbour-master. him about a key, and he saw Sergeant Williams | amounts to \$307,071.82.

Mr. M. P. Jukes having resigned, and Mr. E. Ho-a-foon stated be was servant to last wit. J. Sage having joined the Board, Mr. Richard

when he had occassion to go to his mas. of risks taken before October 31st, but not yet \$42,885.01 to Suspense Account to meet unsettled claims put forward, there remains a balance of \$180,000 to credit of Profit and Loss Account, in respect of transactions already closed, and the Committee recommend that this sum be declared available for distribution | though found mildewed on delivery. Brokeras profits of the Company for the year. The apportionment of this sum, if so appro-

> Articles of Association, be as follows :- the sum of \$45,000, to be carried to Reserve Fund and invested by the Committee: the sum of \$45,000 to be divided pro rata among contri- that, in the event of loss, no brokerage had to words "absent from the port" as the only have purchased it from-and that-intend buting Shareholders, and the sum of \$90,000, be paid. He thought the matter would be best or \$150 per share, to be paid to Shareholders omitted altogether from the scale of charges. Mr. Kaye, Mr. Hitchcook and Mr. Helland

having resigned their seats at the Board, Messrs E. J. Sage A. MacG. Heaton and M. W Boyd have been appointed in their stead, which requires the confirmation of the meeting. E. J. SAGE. Chairman.

Hongkong, December 27th, 1871.

The Vice-Changelors of Oxford and Camdefendant what he had thrown away and he bridge have received a letter from Mr. Gladpicked up the key produced. He saw Sergeant the purpose of inquiry into the College and Williams fit the key to the box of the complain. University revenues. The Tight hon, gentle | merchant the other way. man says the object is simply that of inquity. Defendant denied having any intention of and the commission, however appointed, would left for agreement between the merchant and

owed \$1, Ind he was about to inform her that | SHANGHAI CHAMBER OF COMMERCE. (N. C. Daily News.)

The annual meeting of the Chamber of Com- by the delivery of the goods, the broker was merce was held on the 18th instant. Present, not entitled to commission. F. Porter, Eag., chairman; Mesers, J. Anderson, J. I. Miller, H. P. Hunesen and D. Reid, gusson, E. H. Lavors, A. Zimmern, A. Bater- others; and if a bullion broker sold £10,000 son, F. D. Barnes, G. Coutts, E. J. Hogg, H. and the merchant sent in only £9,000, commis-R. Brand, C. E. Bade, E. Hubener, A. Provand M. S. Gubbay, J. M. Young, W. Schmidt, and | would be better left alone.

W. Pearson, Secretary. The Chairman did not propose to take up He did not know why it was proposed. the time of the meeting by referring to the Report, which had been printed and placed in had grown up from the increase in brokerage; their hands. He would merely propose the and he believed that the adoption of a rule by on the 20th November, dated Peking, 22ad first resolution :—

That the report as printed be adopted. manimously. The Chairman said the next resolution was-

That the accounts for the year ending 1871 showing a balance in favour of the Chamber o Tls. 2.510.47, be passed. This was seconded by Mr. Anderson, and old these goods again, he could not charge carried ununimously. A ballot was then taken for a Committee for

the ensuing year, and the following gentlemen were elected :- Messrs. D. Reid; J. I. Miller, A Hayes, M. S. Gubbay, R. I. Fearon, F. Nissen, J. Anderson, F. B. Johnson, H. Condit,

The Chairman said the next business before the meeting was to consider the question of muil brothel before: She had picked out the third steamer's buoys in the upper reach. There and fourth defendants from among about 20 | bad lately been one or two cases in which large etenmore belonging to the mail service Comformant from among a number of others as a panies were obliged to moor below the point. The question was, whether the Chamber of Chun-tai-yan stated she was inmate of the give sufficient space above, to allow the P. &O. | to readand the M. M. Companies to have swinging the 14th December; the first and fifth defendants moorings. He had a plan of the harbour be- actually delivered, and that the charge for fire were in her room. They were there a little fore him, showing the space that would be more than an hour. They smoked opium. It occupied by the two Companies-which if alfor the Chamber to consider whether the con- carried and the resolution lost. venience of the mail service was sufficiently important to induce them to request the Harbourmaster to allow this. Two of the River Com- following:panies had been consulted in regard to the matter; one had stated that it had no objection; cent the other mid it had; and the Harbour-master was of opinon that it would not interfere with the general traffic of the river. Since the cor- cent. respondence was commenced the Committee have heard, privately but not officially, that the againt average disbursements 21 per cent. P. & O. Company have no intention of bringing their large ships round the point. Perhaps the

> Mr. Barnes said it was not his intention to ask for moorings above the point, at present. passed, a charged of 5 per cent. be introduced as a matter of form, in accordance with Rule He had spoken to several pilots on the matter, for taking up bottomry bonds, and that the 18, that the business of the Annual Meeting and they considered there would be risk in tak- | scales of charges with this addition be adopted. | will include the revision of the Rules. The ing the ships round, and of their damaging other vessels when swinging. This risk would nem con. remain even if the tea ships were removed. He was not speaking as an expert; but so far, he had no intention of putting moorings down for considerable dissatisfaction with the telegrams upon the representative in the absence of a

prepared, in regard to this matter. He would could, but suggestions which had been made did was duly forwarded to the London Committee be glad to hear the views of members on the not come within their means. The question of China Merchants, and largely circulated at subject, and to put any resolution that might was, should they increase the rate of subscripbe brought forward. The Harbour-master was tion, reduce it and abandon telegrams altoget-Chamber sauctioned it.

A Member.—They dont want to go. Mr. Barnes said he only spoke for his own Company; the Mess. Mar. wanted to go, and prove feasible, the P. & O. Co. might go too. But they did not see their way to it at present.

ber's consideration. At the present moment Committee were in favour of proposal No. 5- China Herald of 15th February, and forwarded the P. & O. Co. had a berth in the lower reach. to obtain Renter's messages at a cost of Tls. also to the various Chambers of Commerce at but that was so bounded with buoys moored 72. The price was however calculated at preabout 200 or 300 feet out into the deep channel, sent rates, which they hoped to see considerably swing wich safety; but were thrown over on the propose was-Postung side, where it was very shallow. The out, just where large steamers would swing, that it was not their duty to carry any one else Mr. D. Brown, one of the gentlemen sum. obliging these to take a position which brought Mr. Barnes asked if that made the subscript be number of Foreign Pilote should be gra-

The consequence of the way in which the buoys while they inconvenienced large steamers moor- | the same information as now, and Reuter's tele- | diffications in the charges should be made to ed in the same neighbourhood. Putting down grams as well.

ready lost several in the chow-chow water.

moored off the Bund in the upper reach. It seemed to him that these might be removed it was expected would be reduced Tls. 25, would ported upon by the Peninsular and Oriental with great advantage. They were not required | give them ample imformation. on this side of the river, and their removal to ! the other side would probably allow more room to know who supplied Mr. Reuter with com- ed to Peking. for the mail steamers, and would help to clear | mercial information. the fairway. This was a question he desired to urge strongly on the notice of the Chamber. The Chairman said the Committee had all those received by the Chamber. ready had the onestion under consideration,

and had applied to the Harbour-master to know greatly advantaged by having Reuter alone. then given modified to a great extent their im whether the opium hulks were in the way in It would be highly salutary to have two, the one port as understood by the naval officers at the their present situation. The reply was that to check the other. For instance, in last week's time, and it appears that they will allow of the Report of the Committee to the Sixth Or- they did not interfere with the general traffic, telegrams the Chamber had T-Cloths at 7s. 3d. landing of a force in order to protect life and same time, he thought the question should be report and 7s. 10d. in Reuter's. In point of 1st March. the bulks being on this side; and they certainly might be improved and made more economical. Bar, and the Committee addressed the Comwere not sightly.

Mr. Reid then proposed-That in the opinion of the Chamber, it is certainly did not redound to the credit of such attention of the Chinese authorities. The desirable that the agents of mail steamers have a body as the Shanghai Chamber of Commerce. Ministers at Peking are believed to have been collected at the foreign Agencies, within that the option of mooring their vessels to swing Mr. Provand said the estimate given of Tla. applied to at this time, but the Chamber was to the tide in the upper reach, if such is held to 3,300 was beyond the actual cost for three not informed that any definite steps had been ceived advice, after deducting all sums paid as be consistent with safety, and has the approval messages a week, which would only amount to taken towards the removal of the inconvenience.

was carried unanimously. reference to the scales of charges. ture of a case itself is such that it is difficult accuser at the top of her voice, so the last respective money having been selection for the ansuing year. It will be seen from these Accounts that Committee and submitted to the meeting be of instances a judge will decide quite as cor- its honour in respect of the Tientsin massacre, account him of stealing it. At about 7 p.m. on after carrying forward to the next year's adopted, with the exception of the Account accounts \$20,112 for Fremis received in respect | Sales Charges for Fire Insurance, which should Some discussion occured on the subject of brokerage of goods sold to arrive. The stipulations in the Chambers' proposed scale were:

> -- "No brokerage to be paid on goods sold 'to arrive' rejected on account of damage or mildew. Goods on the spot to pay brokerage, age to be paid if the broker has obtained and paid the bargain money, although the buyer priated will, under the 132nd Clause of the lails to take delivery of the goods. Mr. Lavers considered it should be a matter port under the head of proxies at general meet- | tion, to be signed by the applicant :-of arrangement with the broker under special lings. terms of contract. At present the terms were

> > Mr. Miller thought it would save much dispute to have the point embodied in the rules. He proposed: That no brokerage be charged on goods sold to arrive, in asso of their not reaching this port. That would provide not ship putting in, ay at Singapore, and the cargo being sold.

> > Mr. Zimmern proposed that no brokerage be paid except on goods actually delivered. broker that, simply because the merchant was Mr. Zimmern said it would be as hard on the

Mr. Maitland thought the matter should be stealing money. His reason for being in the not be called upon to make recommendations the broker. If these stipulations were inserted which was passed unanimously, and concluded the Toutai, pending its settlement, to revert the room was to look for the Ameli, to whom he for the future or to pass judgment on the past. in the scale of charges they became law, and the business of the meeting.

- like broker would claim to have them paid on all Accessions. He quite agreed with Mr. Zimmera that, if the contract was not concluded

Mr. Hogg thought it best the thing should pointed chairman, and Mr. G. B. Dixwell vicebe left out altogether. He presumed that chairman. (Committee); E. Maccall, R.W. Little, B. Fer- shirtings' brokers were on the same footing as W. Hardy, J. Crawford, E. Hennequin, A. C. sion would only be paid on the less amount. Westall, H. Curjel, E. W. Batt, J. E. Muitland, The insertion of the stipulation gave the kinng and Nganhwei, and of the neighbourhood charge a sort of position, and he thought it of Nauking and Chinkiang, have been published. Mr. Zimmerh said it was quite a new rule.

> Mr. Millor said it was a new charge which the Chamber would cave trouble or litigation. Mr. Lavers thought that any resolution be upset in a Law Court.

Mr. Maitland said it would be at least clear that the broker could on no occasion claim two double brokerage.

Mr. Maitland observed that the commission was granted "though the buyer failed to take and Szechuen being then entered, Baron delivery of the g ods." Mr. Reid said there was the bargain-money

in that case to fall back on. Mr. Maitland said the bargain-money did not cover the loss sometimes. Mr. Hogg said another point was that mildewed goods were generally sold at auction, for

which I per cent, had to be paid. The Chairman put the resolution and Mr. Commerce should ask the Harbour-master to Zimmern's amendment. The latter was altered That no brokerage be paid except on goods

insurance be fixed at a percent, per month. was about 2 o'clock in the afternoon when they lowed, render necessary the removal of five show of hands 16 voted for the amendment prove of inestimable value. The amount of tea ships' berthe from the upper reach. It was and three against. It was therefore declared the original estimate of Taels 6,000 as the The Chairman said it had been suggested to include in the revised scale of charges, the

> 1. On paying ship's disbursements 21 per 2. Drawing endorsing and negociating bills on owners against ship's disbursoments 24 per

3. Drawing endorsing and negociating be substituted"-Which was lost by the accep-4. Taking up bottomry bonds 5 per cent. After a few remarks, these suggestions were

Agent of the Company could inform them what reduced to the following resolution, proposed by Mr. Hubener, seconded by Mr. Bade-That in addition to the commissions already any member, the Committee have announced

The Chairman said the next business was ral Meetings, if the member be absent from the with regard to telegrams. There seemed to be Port. The resolution would confer this power the large vessels of his Company, on the upper at present given by the Chamber. Unfortu- member from the meeting. nately their funds would not allow anything | The letter on the mission of Chung-how to The Chairman said no resolution had been further; the Committee had done what they Europe, passed at the last General Meeting,

supported by the Committee. if mooring in the upper reach might afterwards inform them what the views expressed in writ- published in the North China Herald of 8th ing to the Committee were.

The Chairman said they were very general. Mr. Hennequin said the Messageries steamers Some were in favour of abandoning the Cham. Belgian Minister to the Tsungli Yamen, diswere prepared to go up, so soon as they got bers' messages altogether and reducing the sub- approving of the proposed settlement of the Mr. Barnes thought the whole question of the added, and in fact the letters the Committee | 14th January, was courteously furnished to the buoys in the barbour was worthy of the Cham- had received were all more or less different. The Chamber, and was published in the North

way altogether in which the buoys were put | into arangements with Reuter's Telegram Comdown called for attention. They were taken up nany for obtaining commercial messages as sugdetriment of large interests like those of the tashed to the Report, and to make a call upon in the North-China Herald of 16th June, and at P. O. Co. and the Mess. Mar. Off Trautmann's the members to provide funds for the expenses which the Chairman of the Chamber was pre-Mr. Hansson seconded the resolution.

were laid down, was that the river became taken | crease the subscripton from Tls. 59 by Tls. 72- | steamers trading regularly to the port, to apply up by moorings which were seldem or ever used, making it Tls. 122. The members would get only to their own vessels, and that certain mo-

Mr. Reid said it scomed to him that this The Rules framed by the Customs for the money laid out, and his own Company had al. | they were getting a message of 20 words once | the Chamber in February by the British Cona week, which the members considered very sul, who was then about to report upon them to Mr. Reid said, the Committee were disposed insufficient. In these days of rapid informathe Minister. The Rules are in substance an to sanction the proposal; the displacement of tion it was necessary to have it as ample, and amplification of the Treaty Regulations, and five tea-ships was a small matter compared to obtain it at as small a cost, as possible. As contain a Table founded upon the "Danube with the convenience of the large atcamers the Great Northern Telegraph Company had Convention," of 1865, for converting which came here regularly on the mail rervice. reduced their rates, the cost at which it was Foreign measurements into English Tons, The Harbour-master did not think the river estimated they could get Renter's messages being in most respects beneficial, but steamers would be seriously inconvenienced, would be reduced one third, making the price one or two slight amendments were suggested; and the community generally seemed to be in Tis. 97, or in round figures my Tis. 100. For viz. That the mode of measurement, whether favour of the changed. He thought, therefore, this they would get three messages a week and according to Lloyd's Rules or otherwise, should they should favour the mooring of the mail intermediate ones as well; and as he was aware be stated. That the term "Cargo Boats" used steamens in the upper reach if it were feasible. that about half the members of the Chamber | therein should be changed to "boats clearing Mr. Lavers endorsed Mr. Reid's view, and subscribed to Renter's it would be a manifest | with merchandisc," as the former designation thought it would be a very great convenience advantage to them to do away with that, and is employed in China to signify lighters, and to the Settlement to have those steamers have these telegrams through the arrangement that the landing of passengers should not with the Chamber, instead. There could be render a vessel liable for Tournage Dues, i Mr. Hogg thought that, in connexion with no doubt that this was a very important sug- otherwise exempt. A concession in the case of this question, might now be considered that gestion, and that Router's messages at a cost regular contract mail steamers, allowing one of the position of the opium hulks (applause). of Tis. 72 at the present rate of charge, which | steamer to be substituted for another, was re-

Mr. Hogg did not think that they would be 1870, and the explanations of the instructions that they might have no less than 20 words salar Body on the 21st November, requesting more than they now got in it. At present it that the matter should be urged upon the

Mr. Lavers seconded the resolution which The Chairman said it must be remembered P. &. O. S. N. Co. in September, the Harbour there were London charges to be paid, and the Master and Consuls were again communicated The Chairman said the next business was in estimate covered everything. Did Mr. Hogg with, and the question was discussed at a propose that the Chamber should get their Meeting held on the 16th October, the minuets

> Mr. Hogg meant to check one or the other by Inspector General of Customs that a dredging , private telegram Mr. Reid. -And if one gave one price and Messageries Maritimes also communicated to the other a different one, what would you do? Mr. Hogg would take the most likely to be Captain Varagot, of the steamer Page, on

> The resolution was then put to the meeting, when 13 voted in favour of it and 10 against. The Chairman said the next business related Transit Certificates, issued by the Shanghai to the revision of rule 6, referred to in the re- Customs, which contains the following declara-

ground for admitting a prexy. Mr. Barnes would like to know before they separated if anything definite had been heard about the Woosung bar. There was some alight mention of it in the report, but nothing

appeared to have been done. It was a very important matter to the trade of Shanghai only for loss but for the contingency of the the Company he represented had lost a considerable amount of money by the state it was i It was simply a disgrace to the port that it should exist, and that there should be only feet of water. The only reference to it was Mi Mr. Reid thought it would be very bard on the Seward's remark, that he believed a dredging machine had been ordered. He begged to

"That the Committee should represent to the authorities the necessity of dredging the bar without further delay." Mr. Hennequin seconded the resolution.

COMMRCE. (1870-1.) The last Annual Meeting of the Chamber was held on the 16th November, 1870, and of the Committee then elected Mr. F. Porter was ap-

Since the last Report was issued, the Survey of China by Baron Richthofen has been resumed, and letters (Nos. 4 and 5) giving the result of the examination of the provinces of Che-Baron Richthofen is at present engaged on a journey which will extend over a considerable portion of Northern and Western China, and complete the programme originally eketched out A letter from Baron Richthofan received October, stated that this journey would be com-

menced on the 23rd October from Peking, and This was seconded by Mr. Reid and carried passed by the Chamber would still be liable to that after a visit to the Coal Mines of Fangshan and Chai-tong, west of Peking, the route would be by Nan-kow to the Tu-she-kow gate of the Great Wall, thence to Chang-kia-kow, commissions. If a broker sold goods, and and by a somewhat circuitous route to Tadelivery was not taken, and the same broker ting-foo and Tai-yuen-foo in Shansi, then in a westerly direction through Shansi to Kansu. The only pass from the North across Mr. Reid said that was no part of the present | the mountains into Szechnen, situated about 100 li south-west of Si-ngan-foo, has been ascertained to be practicable during the winter, Richthofen purposes to examine chiefly the mountainous districts lying towards Ko-ko-nor and Thibet, then to penetrate into Yun-nan, and from that province to regain the Yangtaze, and descend it to Shangbai. The importance of the information collected annuat be too highly rated, at a time when the question of extended intercourse with the interior of this country presents itself for solution. The want of reliable data whereon to found opinions as to the relative commercial value of the several districts to which access has been sought has been much felt by the mercantile communities. and such an addition to our knowledge as is It was seconded by Mr. Bade, and on a being contributed by Baron Richtmofen will

> at the commencement, but has been made up by recent additional subscriptions. The Statistics of Stocks of the principal Imports have been collected half-yearly. At the last General Meeting a resolution was brought forward to the following effect:--"That the words 'from the Port' be emitted from Rule 6, and the words 'from the Meeting' tance of an admendment -- "That the consideration of the foregoing resolution be postponed until the next Meeting of the Chamber." In order to give opportunity for discussion under the above amendment, should it be desired by The resolution having been put was carried present Rule enables the representative of a member by nower of Attorney to vote at Genc-

cost of these journeys was not fully subscribed

The French Consul-General favoured the political messages, or obtain Reuter's messages | tween the French Minister and the Tsungli Yaat a cost of Tle 72 each. The last proposal was men on the subject of the Tientsin Massacre, giving the proposed acttlement of the cluims Mr. Maitland asked if the Chairman would arising therefrom, and these documents were November, 1870.

A copy of an important depatch from the scription; others wished to have political news questions resulting from the massacre, dated

The revised scale of Wharfage Dues, publishthat the large steamers could not come up or reduced. The resolution he was prepared to ed by the Municipal Council, which took effect from 1st July last, was previously submitted to That the Committee be empowered to enter the Committee of the Chanter, and examined and passed at a Meeting beld for the purpose. At a Meeting of the Consular body, held on sent, certain changes in the Local Pilotage Rules were passed. The Meeting decided that dually reduced to 45, that supernumerary cor-The Chairman said it was intended to in tificates should be granted to the masters of

> equalize the rates for various distances. Steam Navigation Company. The Chamber's Mr. Brand said it was of great importance | femarks were understood to have been forward-

> The letter to H.B.M. Government, on the Mr. Reid said it was, but Reuter's telegrams | Admiralty orders to naval officers on the China were generally admitted to be much better than station, published with the last Report of the Chamber, was replied to on the 28th December,

The Committee having been applied to by the of which, together with the correspondence, were published in the North China Hearld of Mr. Reid thought Mr. Hogg wanted one to 18th Oct. The Senior Consul (Mr. Seward) then stated that he had been informed by the machine would be provided. The Agent of the the Chamber the report of a survey made by the 11th September, which was submitted to Mr. Barnes suggested taking the mean of the the Harbour Master and the Consule, and appears with the minutes of the above Meeting. In the North-China Herald of 23rd June will be found a copy of a form of application for " -hereby declare that the above mentioned Nothing was done in the watter, leaving the Merchandise is wholly-own property, thatsending it to-for the purpose of being sold there by-solely on-account.

"Signed----The above appeared a few days previously in the N. C. Daily News, and on its publication the Committee obtained an official form from the Custom House, and deeming the requirements of the Customs an infraction of the Treaties, which have been always held by the Chamber to give to foreign goods the privilege of free transit under the commutation clauses, whether in foreign or Chinese hands, a protest was addressed to the Consular Body in the 24th Jane, and considered at a Meeting of the Consuls on the 12th July. The Toutai had previously communicated with the Consuls (on the 20th June) deprecating the employment of Transit Passes to protect merchandise the property of Chinese. The Meeting decided to refer the question to the Ministers, and to request original form of application. The decumentae

connected with this subject were printed in the but final, The existence of a real solar North-China Herald of 21st and 28th July, appendage reaching at least a million miles The Customs at present issue Transit Passes, from the sun's surface, baving thus been irrespective of ownership, and it is to be hoped demonstrated, it now remains for observers to that this will lead to the whole question being determine how this strange appendage is shaped and how constituted. They must distinguish finally act at rest.

The amount collected for the benefit of the widow of the late Mr. Piddington was Tle. 222 75, and this was remitted to the Chamber of Commerce at Calcutta.

recently addressed the Committee, asking the moon's vast shadow through the air above and Chamber to support an application for the around them. At that time false rays appear, e privilege of laying down a buoy opposite the which the inexperienced may too readily con-Company's offices, at which the large mail found with the true coronal beams. There is steamers up to 400 feet long, could swing. It also a semblance of motion even among those is understood that if this be granted a similar rays which are really fixed. Everything is new of the stream. The Committee are inclined to when so much of what is taking place around SHANGHAL..... favour this proposal, to give large mail steamers tends to distract his attention. In the apgoes, and for passengers, on condidtion that of the observer, or his work will be altogether the fairway to the upper wharves in the chan- valueless. at the Secretary's Office.

before the General Meeting, and the members much stress has lately been laid-but the asked to decide whether they will continue the photographic camera will do its work unmoved present plan of receiving weekly messages, or by the appalling aspect of the surrounding by an increase of the subscriptions, enable the scene. Whatever the photographic pictures Chamber to supply more extended and more may abow, we may be sure that neither excitefrequent information. The Committee believe ment nor affection for a favourite theory bave in view of the almost daily intelligence-received obtained by other means will be greatly infrom other sources, and statements and estimates or eased in value by the photographic records of the cost of obtaining additional news, which If the spectroscopist gots light of such and are printed in the Appendix, have been pre- such a quality from a certain part of the corona,

Meetings of the Chamber have taken place. ary, 1871, are appended hereto, and show a the photograph taken during eight of those balance in favour of the Ohamber of Tla | secon is is far the best picture of the corons in 2.510.47, of which Tls. 2,000 are on deposit existence, it does certainly seem reasonable to with the Chartered Mcreantile Bank, and the expect that the application of his method anbalance with the same B nk in current account. Subscriptions from 62 members, amounting to Tla. 3,100, have been collected for the current the expeditionists the success they deserve. They have not sailed on a pleasure trip, an lit

A BRAVE CONSUL GENERAL. (Japan Mail.)

On the evening of Wednesday, the 6th December as Mr. E. Zappe, Acting-Consul-General for North Germany was passing near the English Hatoba, le heard cries of distress from some one in the water. He at once plunged in, and succeeded with great difficulty in bringing on shore a drunken Swedish sailor who had fallen into the water, and who, but for assistance, would have been drowned. The night was bitterly cold and the sea rough. It was so dark, too, that Mr. Zappe mistook the distance from whence the cries proceeded, and had to swim some thirty yards before he reached the object of his gallant exertions. He saved the life of the Swede at

him for many days to his room, and to cripple \$580, whilst Chinas and Victorias are dull at him very seriously for some time. to bring the circumstance to the notice of his with sellers at Tls. 185 to Tls. 187. A few Government, and that if Prussia has a Royal China and Japan Insurance shares have Wool Square Land Long SHAWLS, Clan Humane Society, its medal may be conferred changed hands at Tla 206 for end of the on one of her sons who has so well deserved it. month.

THE ECLIPSE EXPEDITION. (Telegroph.) Yet once more on English expedition has set

forth, this time on a long and arduous journey, to view the phenomena of a total colipse. Six weeks and a half hopoe, if all go well, those observers who have sailed in the Mirzapore will be anxiously waiting, at various stations in the north of Ceylon the approach of those two minutes and a half of total obscuration on which so much will depend that is interesting to men of science. A few clouds veiling for those brief minutes the place of the colipsed sun | Hongkong Bank Shares, Old-63 to 64 per would render futile all the exertions which have the journey to the Indian seas, the skill of Mr. Lockyer and his colleagues, and the perfection of the instruments they are to employ. It argues no slight desire to increase our knowledge, no small zeal in the cause of science, that so after all, even should all the circumstances be favourable, the results may not be such as as. Chinese Insurance Company. \$175 per share tronomers hope to obtain.

For let it be noted—in fairness not only to Mr. Lockyer and the expedition under his charge, but also to those observing parties which will be stationed in India, Java, and Northern Australia-that the task set before the observers of the approaching eclipse is altogether more difficult than any which has hitherto been attempted. It would not be difficult to repeat the observations made during the American eclipse of 1869, and during the Mediterranean eclipse of 1870; but to do do this would be to do nothing. Something new must be learned, or the expedition might as well not have sailed. And to discover something new, after so many skilful observers have been at work in the same field, is likely to prove no easy task. There is not a single moment in the progress of totality which has not been already utilised by others. The instant when the last ray of direct sunlight is just obliterated has been employed by Professor Young, of America, to such purpose as to reveal the existence, of a marvellously complex solar atmosphere, in Indo-Chinese Sugar Company-\$18 per share which the vapours of our familiar metals replace the gases which in our air form the Hongkong Pier and Godown Company.-\$10 breath of life. From that first instant, onwards, until the moment when the sun is about to disappear, that glory of light which astronomers call the corona has been studied and analyeed in such sort that one would imagine that nothing new could be learned respecting it. Yet our expeditionists have set forth with the purnose of learning something now, and the fault will not be theirs if they are unancessful. To encourage them to strenuous exertion they have this to consider, that if they fail, many months must pass before astronomers have another opportunity to institute such researches as they now propose to make. It is quite cortain that we shall not have to call the attention of our readers to any eclipse expeditions either in 1872 or 1873. In the latter year, indeed, there will be no total solar eclipse at all. And the total eclipse of November 30, 1872, is such a one that no astronomer is likely to take the trouble to witness it. It is so barely total, that it actually begins and ends on the Hing tai-chan to a trader. earth as an annular one, the moon at those of central eclipse. It is only in the middle of the moon's shadow track upon the earth that the sun will be fairly hidden, and there only for a few seconds. Not until April 16, 1874, will there he an eclipse worth an eclipse expedition; and in these days of rapid cientific progress an interval of 28 months sems like an age. Our observers then in India and Caylon, as well as the continental astronomers in Java. and colonial astronomers in North Australia are bound to exert themselves most diligently, so

during that long interval. It is easy to indicate the position to which past researches have brought the students of that wonderful crown of light which is seen around the eclipsed sun. The American observers in 1869 found that this object is in great part self-lumimous, and that its light in some respects resembles in quality that of the aurora borealis. But doubts prevailed as to the extension of this self-luminous solar glory. Some thought that it did not extend more than some ninety thousand miles from the sun's surface. while others believed that its extension was to be measured by hundreds of thousands of miles. Last year the American observations were confirmed, and something was learned as to the extent of the corons. A certain well? marked gap or dark rift in the corona then seen was photographed in Spain by Mr. Willard, of America, and also in Sicily (more satisfactorily) by Mr. Brothers, of Manchester. Therephotographs, enlarged to a common scale, were submitted to Sir John Herschel, and by him prononnced designs as to the extra-terrestrial character 🎜 a radiated corona extending at least as far from the sun as the boundaries of this gap. On such a matter Herschel's opinion always authoritative—may be regarded as all

it (if they possibly can) from all that light with which this appendage itself fills our atmosphere during the progress of a total colipse. They LONDON via SUEZ CANAL. will have to avoid being deceived, as so many have been decoived, by the strange option! The Agent of the Messageries Maritimes has effects produced during the passage of the

nel outside the Opium Hulks is preserved; and Fortunately an instrument is to be used the only inconvenience apparent is the necessi- which will record the features of the eclipse to for removal of six borths of sailing vessels in without being in any way affected by the disneighbourhood. The members are invited to tractions we have mentioned. The telescopist express their opinions upon this subject in many fail to make useful observations, or be writing. A plan of the Harbour, showing the may be so misled as to make false ones; the proposed mornings, has been kindly furnished spectroscopist may be unable to distinguish be-by the Harbour Master, and may be imspected tween the light of the corona and that of the illuminated air; the draughteman may produce The question of Telegrams will be brought some of those marvellous pictures on which so that the present messages of limited service, influenced the result. Much of the information of that particular portion. If a draughts-The Scales of Charges and Commissions is man succeeds (for a wonder) in picturing the Fancy DRESSES, in Reps, Serges, Silk and sued by the Chamber some years ago appear- corona with some degree of accuracy, the phoing to require revision, the Committee has tographs will render it easy to interpret such prepared the accompanying amended list, parts of the work as may be less perfect than which is submitted to the members for ap- the rest. We are inclined to hope great things from the photographers of the approaching During the year no Extraordinary General eclipse. Remembering that an envious cloud conscaled the sun from Mr. Brothers for all The Accounts for the year ending 30th Janu- but the last eleven seconds of totality, and that der more favourable circumstances will lead to results of the utmost interest and importance.

COMMERCIAL INTELLIGENCE DECEMBER 26TH, EVENING.

applause of their fellow workers in science.

Meantime we must be content with wishing

is known that some of them have had to eacri-

fice much in order to join the expedition. We

say that whether fortune smile or frown on

their exertions, they have already deserved the

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Hongkong, December 12th, 1871.

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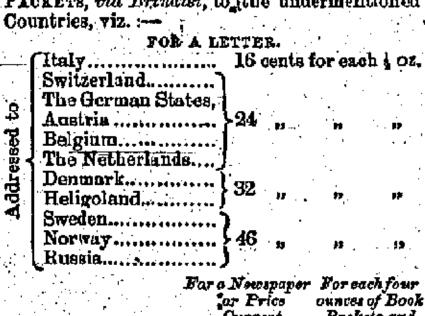
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Late letters (but Letters only) addressed to

F. W. MITCHELL. Postmaster General Hongkong, 18th December, 1871.

It is hereby notified that henceforward the following Rates of Postage-will be charged upon Correspondence forwarded from Hongkong, or any of the British Post Office Agencies in China and Japan, by BRITISH MAIL



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Postmaster General 🕶

General Post-Office, Hongkong, 2nd December, 1871. It is hereby notified that henceforward the rates of postage which must be paid in advance.

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chargeable on Packets of printed papers or

patterns of light weight sent from Hongkong

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F. W. MITCHELL.

Postmaster General: General Post Office. Hongkong, 12th April, 1870.

Cargo, will leave this for the above places on that, the Postage (which must be paid in ad-It is bereby potified for general information. vanced) upon letters addressed to Prince Edward Island, will benceforward be as follows, When forwarded via

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Postmaster General. General Post-Office. Hongkong, 28th July, 1870.

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General Post Office, Hongkong, 15th July, 1870.

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> F. W. MITCHELL. Postmaster General. General Post Office,

Hongkong, 16th January, 1871. It is hereby notified that, pending the comwith the Italian Post Office, under which it is tinent of Europe via Brindisi, Letters for the Continent forwarded by British Mail Packet. when specially addressed via Brindisi, will be cent in the Mails for the British Post Office at Alexandria, paid to that place only, whence they will be forwarded via Brindisi, as directed, The postage, which must be paid in advance is 12 cents per 4-ounce on Letters, one penny on each Newspaper or Price Current, and six cents for each four ounces on Book Packets and Packets of Patterns, and such correspondence

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General Post Office.

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Postmaster General Hongkong, 16th June, 1870,

Extracts: My friend being restored to health, we justed on his head, and the honourable genarranged to move to the Mombait jungles, tleman had looked in the glass and been about four miles to the north of Phoonda, satisfied that he looked sufficiently smart, The road was only practicable for men on than he started for the Irish Office. "Is Lord foot, and horses; so we had to collect coolies Morpeth within?" was his inquiry of one to carry our tent and beggage. These were of the servants, as he presented himself at sent on with Shaik Adam, who was directed the door. "He is, sir." "And disongaged?" to go out on reaching the ground, look about "I believe he is, sir; but I'll see presently." for marks of game, and ascertain the prospects The servant rushed into Lord Morpeth's of sport generally. We started on horse, presence, and returned, informing Mr. Roche back one afternoon, but, as we did not take that his Lordship was quite at leisure. "Ah! the direct route, it was sundown before we how do you do?" the honourable gentleman reached the camp. We found the coolies exclaimed as he entered, at the same time and servants busy pitching the tent, and presenting his hand to the Irish Secretary bringing in wood, grass, and water. The "How are you?" responded his Lordship, shaik bad gone out alone, and it was nearly receiving with much cordiality the extended dark before he came in. "Te said he had hand of his Parliamentary supporter. "Pray been along the crest of the Chauts, and had take a seat, Mr. Roche." A few commonplace visited several caves of hears, finding fresh observations were exchanged between the marks. He was on his way back to the parties, during which the honourable memcamp, and was entering on a piece of clear per kept alternately twirling his hat, and ground, about 200 yards in length, having smoothing down the pile with the cuff of his a footpath down the middle of it. On coming coat. His Lordship still taking no notice out into the open, he saw a bear walking of the new chapeau, Mr. Roche lost all patileisurely towards him along the path, and ence, and brokeout into a regular I rish quesas he was not observed he quietly slipped tion—"Pray, Lord Morpoth, what do you aside, and concealed himself behind some think of my new hat?" His Lordship was a good bushes. The bear meanwhile came slowly deal confounded by the nature of the quesforward, and when within ten paces, the tion? but, wishing to be polite, replied, castshalk gave it the contents of the long gun ing a momentary glance at the article, that through the heart. The bear fell in its he thought it was a very good hat. "Why, tracks quite dead, but to make sure he ram- I have just paid eight-and-twenty shillings med down another charge, and fired again for it," observed the Irish member. "Oh. behind its shoulder as it lay on the ground, indeed !- that was the price, was it?" re-He then cut boughs of trees, and having marked his Lordship, carelessly. "And I covered up the beast, returned to the tent to have bought it from one of the most fushionprocure men to carry it in. A party of our able hat-makers at the West-end," added Mr. coolies at once set off with him, but on ar. Roche. The noble Lord looked still more riving at the spot where the bear had been surprised at his Liberal supporter, but man left, they found it had disappeared. The aged to murmur out an "Ob, you did, did boughs lay scattered about, and marks of you?" without anything marked in his tone. blood were on the ground, but the bear was "What do you think of its shape?" inquired gone; and it being now quite dark, the men Mr. Roche, almost thrusting the hat into came back and reported matters to us. We his Lordship's face that he might the more of course conjectured that the bear had only closely inspect it. "Oh, I think it very good," been stunned and badly wounded by the was the answer, delivered in a way which and not exceed- 3 shaik, and had managed to recover sufficient showed that the Irish Secretary's astonish ing ly to get away among the dense bush, which ment was still on the increase. "How do Above 3 months on all sides surrounded the spot. The shaik, you like the brim?" inquired the honourable and not exceed- 6 ... 1 do. do. however, who was a man of long experience, member for Cork, again holding up the hat and skilled in all matters of woodcraft, as to the gaze of his Lordship. "O, I think the Above 6 months the full annual rate. sured us that he had left the bear dead, and bat, is unexceptionable in every respect," anhe believed some beast must have carried it swered the latter, looking the honourable off. It was too late to do anything then, so gentleman in the face with an expression of inwe settled to go out at daybreak and clear finite amazement, instead of again inspecting up the mystery. The jungle-cocks were the hat. "I'm so glad you like it." observed crowing in the ravines when we turned Mr. Roche, with much emphasis, and in a out in the morning; and after a light tone of marked gratification. Lord Morbreakfast we set off for the spot whence peth's silence was understood by the honthe bear had disappeared. As the men ourable gentleman to signify his concurrence had reported, we found the boughs strewed in the supposition. "And you don't think about and much blood on the ground, but the brim too broad?" said the Irish member the daylight enabled us to see that the car- after a momenary pause. Lord Morpeth cass had been dragged along the ground, so had by this time become so utterly confoundwe prepared to follow up the track. For ed that he uttered not a word in reply to the some distance it led through the open glade, latter observation. "I was duly honoured through which the shaik informed us the with your note, and you see how prompt l bear had advanced just before he shot it; have been in complying with your request." after this it went through some thick scrub "Really," answered the noble Lord, raising jungle, and then along the stony bed of a his eyes from a document which was lying dry water course. Here the jungle became before him, and gazing on the Irish M.E very thick, and the thorns and branches were with an expression of countenance equally so interlaced across the bed of the stream indicative of surprise and indignationthat we were obliged to stoop, and at times "really, Mr. Roche, I don't understand all to crawl along on all fours. We were about this. Pray may I beg an explanation. 500 yards from where the bear had been left, have sent you no note, nor made any request. look out ahead, expecting to come on the gentleman, affecting a little jocularity. bear, moving up the bank in the thick bush, require an explanation. Do you mean tocarcase of his spouse on the previous night, a momentary pause he observed: "Mr. Roche, tance. We were much struck by his conju. come, come, Lord Morpeth," said the other, genuine, and not, as is perhaps the case with |" Lassure you, upon my honour, it is not some other animals, simulated out of defer- repeated his Lordship, with great emphasis. ence to public opinion. He must have moved "Not your handwriting!" said the honourthe body with great care, and evidently boped able gentleman, in faltering accents, and cave he would be able by assiduous nursing to across his mind that some wag had hoaxed her throughout the night with such gentle. their joke at your expense." "Why, I don't

Parliamentary Joking. (From "the Newspaper Press," by James

Gordon Cumming.

having the name of Lord Morpeth appended careful to preserve his secret as if he were a to it, was received by Mr. Roche, member second Junius. for Cork, who had long been noted for having his head encircled by a "shocking bad hat." The letter set out by acknowledging. with great gratitude, both on the part of Lord | man of a feat without parallel lately performed Morpeth and his colleagues in office, the dis- by a large road steamer -namely, running from tinguished bonour and very great advantage Ipswich to Edinburgh by road, a distance of members. At the same time it was impossitives, is of 14 nominal horse power, but has ble to shut their eyes, or rather their ears, several times been worked up to 80 indicated to the fact, that in regard to dress, the Irish horse power; her weight is about 134 tons; could be wished; a circumstance which the to top of chimney, 15 feet. The omnibus Conservatives, who were very particular and weighs about 81 tons, and is seated for 21 very tasteful in the article of apparel, took people inside and 44 outside—total 65. Sha special care to turn to the worst possible account against the Liberal party. The letter breakfast, having run the first twenty-five miles proceeded to observe, that while it was to his in four and a half hours, molnding all stop-Majesty's Ministers, and to the writer indivi- pages. On arriving at Newmarket for landually as an humble member of the Govern- cheon the engine was refused water at the ment, a most gratifying fact that the Liberal water-works, and so had to pump it from a cisparty were fully equal to the Conservatives tern in the back yard of the Golden Lion. A difference of the moral character, intellectual acquirements, and Parliamentary ability, it was not to be denied that it was desirable that accordence of them should present against the true of them should present against the following the finite back yard of the Golden Lion. A difficulty also arose with the police, who directed the engine to "move on." They, however, declined a suggestion made by Lieutenant that some of them. that some of them should present a some-continued its jorrney in peace, reaching Ely what more respectable personal appearance. at six P.M. Here, after coaling and getting . Under these circumstances, it was hoped that dinner, the travellers engaged a guide to pilot the gentleman to whom the letter was ad. them across the Fens to Peterborough; he dressed would not take it amiss if it was commenced his task by losing his way about time, and grace his head with one of a more inches wider than the engine. The bank having read the letter with attention, took the other to the fen; but for the atmost care up his chapeau, which chanced to be at the taken by the eteersmen to keep the engine time lying on a table beside him. He turned exactly central on what there was of road, the it over and over, and carefully inspected it bank, and the engine would have gone into the in all its parts. There was no denying that depths of the fen. On Monday the train made it was the worse for wear. There were sun- a splendid run from Waneford to Doncaster, dry bruises in the crown, the brim was 834 miles, in ten and a quarter hours. The broken in various parts, the pile was worn following day's run was from Doncaster to bare in several places, and its aspect altogeth. Azerley ball, near Ripon, where the travellers er was that of an article which had, through the tear and wear it had undergone, assumed to this place were in an awint state, owing to the heavy rainfull. All the rivers were in the dear water for the engine could not ble gentleman's first impulse was to dach it be obtained in pond or river. From Azerley Marine ricks on Freight and Cargo at Current on the floor and trample it into a shape the engine proceeded to Darlington on the 1st which it never assumed in the hands of the of October, and thence to Wooler, near the manufacturers. In plain terms, his deter. Borders, on the 3rd. Next day the train crossed mination in the heat of the moment was to the border, and by dist of running all night, make it serve the purpose of a temporary crossed the Lammermoor ridge curly in the THE ROYAL EXCHANGE ASSURANCE mat for his feet, and thus preclude the possibility of its ever again disgracing either his head, or the head of any one else. But the thought flashed on his mind, just in time to save the devoted hat from instant defrom 64 to 72 degrees Fabrenheit, and relieves struction, that it was the only article of the mascular injections of morphine. kind he had in his possession, and that it would be necessary to wear it until he should Visite de Noces," a red-haired, studid English UNIVERSAL MARINE INSURANCE reach the hatter's shop where he intended nobleman is alluded to, but does not appear on' to procure a substitute. To a fashionable hat the stage. In the "Reflets," played at the ter, accordingly, Mr. Roche forthwith went, ... ume boose, the usual Briton, bowever, does 171HE Undersigned having been appointed distribution of 20 % of the nett profits reserved fancying all the way, now that his attention appear, red-haired, idiotic, valgar, and with a L. Agents for the above Company at this for Contributors may be arranged. Returns had been specially called to it by a letter fearful accent. However, our countryman Port Shanghai, Foschow, Hankow, and Yoko- not rendered prior to the 31st October next.

the hatter's, and soon fitted himself with one Athenaum.

of the most elegant and fashionable articles of the kind which his emporium could produce. Scarcely had the new hat been ad-

but the blood on the stones enabled us to Well come now, but I do hold that to be follow the track with ease. We kept a sharp decidedly good," remarked the honourable wounded beast, and at length, in turning an "Really, Mr. Roche," said the noble Lord, angle of the nullah, we caught a glimpse of a in yet more decided tones, "this does We were unable to get a shot at him, but His Lordship was prevented finishing his kept our rifles ready, and on coming up to observation by the honourable gentleman the spot we found the dead bear lying on the taking out of his pocket a letter, which he Ohina, and Australia. stones. It turned out to be a large female, thrust into the noble Lord's hands, observing, and the one which we had seen moving off "See: look at that." Lord Morpeth looked Policies issued for long or short periods was evidently the he bear, who, finding the at the epistle, and slightly coloured. After had managed to push or drag it all this dis- this, I assure you, is not my writing." "Oh. gal affection, as his grief was no doubt smiling, thinking his Lordship was in joke. that if he could only get her home to their looking singularly foolish, as the idea flashed restore her to health. She was a large bear, bim. "It is not," reiterated Lord Morpeth. and very heavy and fat, but he had moved "Some of your friends have been enjoying ness that the skin was quite uninjured .- altogether like such jokes," stammered the Wild Men and Wild Beasts. By Lieut. Col. other, quite crestfullen. He left the Irish Office immediately, vowing retribution on the party, should he ever discover him, whose waggery had placed him in such ridiculous THE Undersigned is authorised to accept circumstances. Who the wag was has not been yet discovered; and there is every A letter dated from the Irish Office, and probability that he will, if still alive, be as

The Adventures of a Boad Steamer. An interesting account is given by the Scolewhich Lord Melbourne's administration had 450 miles, in seventy seven hours travelling Canals, and Goods on board such Vessels, derived from the cordial and uniform sup-port which they had received from the Irish members. At the sense time it was impossed for the Indian Government, with india-rubber By FIRE. members as a body were not always all that length, 15 feet; breadth, 8 feet 8 inches; height Class Risk. hinted by the Irish Secretary (Lord Morpeth) the miles from Ely, and finished by directing the Sompany gran that he should pay a little more attention to his personal appearance and above all to Now came the most thrilling part of the all parts of the World. Rieks at the established local Rutes, to his personal appearance, and above all, to journey. As the engine went on the road got In addition to the usual brokerage, thirty discard the hat which he had worn for some narrower and narrower, until it was only a few per Cent (30%) of the Profite will be returned becoming character. The member for Cork, sloped down steeply on one side to the river, on ther Shareholders or not, rateably in proportion t! 1402 Hongkong, 27th July, 1870.

morning, arriving at Eduaburgh on the 5th. Dr. Demarquay has discovered a cure for In Alexandre Dumas' presions piece "La from the Irish Office, that every person he the police have prohibited the dramatic authors Ourrent Rates. met was staring with suprise at the appearfrom ridiculing the Germans, and people canance of his chapeau. He eventually reached not be always laughing at themselves.—

Insurances. COMPAGNIE LYONNAISE D'ASSU-RANCES MARITIMES.

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RUSSELL & Co. tf 1377 Hongkong, 23rd July, 1970 THE GUARDIAN FIRM AND LIFE AS SURANCE COMPANY. No. 11, Lombard Street, London, E.C. ESTABLISHED 1821,

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COMPANY, LONDON.

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kong, Canton, Foodhow, Shanghai, and Hankow, and are propared to grant Insurances at HOLLIDAY, WISE & Co. tt 1958 Hongkong, 15th October, 1868. THE LONDON ASSURANCE

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A. McIVER, Agent. Hongkong, 1st July, 1867. IMPERIAL FIRE INSURANCE CO. DOR Insuring Houses and other Buildings' Goods, Wares, Merchandise, Manufacturng and Farming Stock, Ships in Port, Harbours, or Dock, and the Cargoes of such Ships: also, Ships Building and Repairing: Barges and other Vessels on Navigable Rivers and throughout Great Britain and Ireland, and in FOREIGN COUNTRIES, PROM LOSS OR DAMAGE

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OF LONDON. THE Undersigned having been appointed A gents of the above Corporation, are prepared to grant Policies against Fire at current Butterfield & swire.

Agents, 4. Prava. tf 1569 Hongkong, 26th August, 1870. COMPANY, LIMITED, (OF LONDON).

GILMAN & Co.

f 437 Hongkong, 9th March, 1871.

Insurances.

PACIFIC INSURANCE COMPANY. SAN FRANCISCO. THE Undersigned, Agents for the above Com pany, are prepared to grant POLICIES against Fire on Buildings and Goods, at current

RUSSELL & Co.

tf 366 Hongkong, 7th February, 1867. PACIFIC INSURANCE COMPANY OF SAN FRANCISCO. THE Undersigned having been appointed Agentain China for the above Insurance COMPANY, are prepared to grant Policies covering Marino Risks at the Current Rates. RUSSELL & Co._ tf 578 Hongkong, 2nd March, 1867.

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